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		Present	How and When	ORDA	INED
No.	Name	Relation	Admitted	Deacon	Elder
1.	Robertson, Ira B	Superan.	O. T. 1860	1862	1866
2.	Bradley, R.	Superan.	T. 1872	1872	1876
3.	Jones, B. F.			1878	1882
4.	Simmons, W. W.	Superan.		1878	1881
5.	Carley, L	Superan.	R. 1878	1870	1872
6.	Cammack, W. W.	Superan.	O. T. 1879	1881	1883
7.	Nicholson, J. T.	Superan.		1881	1883
8.	Witt, R. F.	Superan.	O. T. 1881	1883	1887
9.	Brown, J. W.	Superan.	O. T. 1881	1884	1887
10.	Watkins, A. F.	Effective	O. T. 1883	1883	1887
11.	Lewis, B. F.	Effective	O. T. 1883	1885	1887
12.	Featherstun, H. W	Superan.	T. 1883	1871	1873
13.	Selby, Robert	Effective	O. T. 1885	1887	1889
14.	Burton, M. L.	Effective	O. T. 1885	1887	1890
15.	Morse, J. M.	Effective	O. T. 1885	1884	1889
16.	Linfield, W. L.	Effective	O. T. 1886	1888	1891
17.	Huntley, W. H.		O. T. 1886	1888	1890
18.	Ellis, H. M.		O. T. 1888	1890	1893
19.	Galloway, J. G.	Effective	O. T. 1888	1890	1892
20.	Forsyth, W. G.	Effective	O. T. 1888	1890	1893
21.	Sullivan, W. M.	Effective	O. T. 1888	1891	1896
22.	White, M. L.	Effective	O. T. 1889	1889	1895
23.	Howse, P. H.		O. T. 1889	1891	1893
24.	Norton, H. L.	Effective	O. T. 1889	1891	1893
2 <del>4</del> . 25.	Mollard H	Effective	O. T. 1889	1890	1893
26.	Mellard, H.		O. T. 1889	1891	1895
	Thompson, G. HLewis, B. W	Effective	O. T. 1889	1891	1895
27. 28.	Ellis, J. C.	Ellective	O. T. 1889	1891	1903
	Ellis, G. R.		O. T. 1890	1884	1888
29. 30.	Ferguson, W. J.	Superan.	O. T. 1890	1891	1894
31.	Abney, J. T	Effective	O. T. 1890	1893	1895
31. 32.	Dawson, W. J.	Effective	O. T. 1890	1891	1895
33.	Griffin, W. T.	Effective	O. T. 1891	1892	1895
	Evans, C. C.	Effective	O. T. 1891	1000	1005
34.	Van Hook H W	Effective	O. T. 1892	1892	1895
35.	Van Hook, H. W	Effective		1896	1902
36.	Crossley, C. M.	Effective		1888	1902
37.	Foreman, J. HWilliams, W. M	Effective	O. T. 1032	1895	1392
38.	Moore, W. W.	Effective	O. T. 1892	1888	1899
39. 40.	Ormond, F. B.	Effective	O. T. 1892 O. T. 1892	1893	1899
	Urmond, F. D	Superan	O. T. 1892	1892	1902
41.	Huff, G. W.	Effortivo	O. T. 1893	1895	1898
42.	Ellis, J. D.		O. T. 1893	1894	1899
43.	Black, M. M.	Effective	O. T. 1893	1894	1898
44.	Sibley, R. A.		O. T. 1895	1898	
45. 46.	Cottrell, T. B.	Effective	O. T. 1895	1898	1899
	McVccvvv C D	Effective	O. T. 1896	1896	1902
47.	McKeown, G. P.	Effective	O. T. 1896	1896	1900
48.	Moore, J. A.	Effective		1898	1902
49.	Terry, W. A.	Effective	O. T. 1897	1899	1901
50.	Alford, L. E.	Effective	O. T. 1897	1899	1901
51.	Moore, H. J.	Effective		1899	1901
52.	G. S. Harmon	Enective	0. 1. 1001		1903
53.	Gatlin, H. A.	Ellective	O. T. 1897	1896	1893
54.	Lewis, W. H.	Effective	T. 1898	1891	1997
55.	Blackwell, W. L	Ellective	O. T. 1898	1899	1301

### CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL—Continued.

		Present	How and When	ORDA	INED
No.	Name	Relation	Admitted	Deacon	Elder
56.	O'Neil, T. J	Effective	O. T. 1898	1899	1902
<b>57.</b>	King, T. H.	Effective	R. 1899	1892	1902
58.	Jones, J. R.	Effective	O. T. 1899	1901	1903
59.	Williams, J. E	Effective	O. T. 1899	1899	1910
60.	Corley, J. M	Effective	O. T. 1899	1899	1911
61.	Gray, J. E	Effective	O. T. 1899	1902	1906
62.	Saunders, W. H	Effective	T. 1900	1889	18
63.	Alford, E. L.	Effective	T. 1900	1901	1903
64.	Ferguson, J. E. J	Effective	O. T. 1901	1904	1910
65.	Coker, E. J.	Effective	O. T. 1902	1904	1909
66.	Jones, W. B.	Effective	O. T. 1902	1904	1906
67.	Thompson, J. W	Effective	O. T. 1902	1903	1906
68.	Young, S. N.	Effective	O. T. 1902	1904	1906
69.	Cooper, I. W	Effective	T. 1902	1878	1881
70.	Baggett, W. F	Effective	M. P. 1902	10.0	1896
71.	Martin, C. M	Superan.	R. 1903	1886	1889
72.	Leggett, J. T	Effective	T. 1903	1891	1898
73.	Phillips, E. D.	Superan.	T. 1903	1885	1889
74.	Sells, J. L.	Effective	T. 1903	1893	1895
75.	Hays, W. A	Effective	O. T. 1903	1905	1908
76.	Graves, W. W.	Effective	O. T. 1903	1904	1909
77.	Lane, W. H	Effective	O. T. 1903	1902	1907
78.	Lewis, J. M.	Effective	O. T. 1903	1906	1908
79.	Lewis, O. S.	Effective	O. T. 1903	1905	1907
80.	Vickers, D. E.		O. T. 1903	1904	1907
81.	Murray, W. W.		O. T. 1903	1901	1908
82.	Grice, J. H.	Effective	O. T. 1904	1906	1909
83.	Dominick, W. D.	Superan.	T. 1904	1877	1879
84.	Alford, L. F.	Effective	T. 1904	1899	1010
85.	Darsey, L. A.		T. 1904	1869	1870
86.	Kelly, D. E.	Effective	T. 1905	1899	1907
87.	Bennett, J. V.	Effective	O. T. 1905	1906	1912
88.	Broadfoot, A. M	Effective	O. T. 1905	1907	1910
89.	Sharbrough, M. B	Effective	T. 1905	1877	1010
90.	Meigs, B. E.	Effective	O. T. 1906	1908	1910
91.	McClellan, J. F	Effective	O. T. 1906	1898	1910
92.	Jones, M. R.	Effective	O. T. 1906	1906	1912
93.	Noble, C. T.	Superan.	O. T. 1906	1909	1911
94.	King, J. B.	Superan.	O. T. 1906	1906	1910
95.	Herring, C. H.		O. T. 1906	1906	1912
96.	Ramsey, J. W		T. 1906	1892	1894
97.	Rawls, B. H.	Superan.	T. 1906		1886
98.	Roberts, L. L.		T. 1906	1899	1910
99.	Dickens, W. E.		O. T. 1907	1909	1911
100.	Wells, J. A		O. T. 1907	1911	1913
101.	Davis, A. J.	Effective	O. T. 1907	1912	1914
102.	Price, J. W	Effective	O. T. 1907	1910	1913
103.	Neill, J. L.		O. T. 1907	1909	1911
104.	Ellis, C. H.	Superan.	R. 1907	1866	1867
105.	Peebles, I. L.	Superan.	R. 1907	1878	1882
106.	Maddox, H. J.		M. T. 1907		1905
107.	Westbrook, H. S.		O. T. 1908	1911	1913
108.	Applewhite, F. L		O. T. 1908	1910	1912
109.	Chambers, J. C.		T. 1908	1907	1909
110.	Purcell, J. S.		T. 1908	1905	1910
111.	Rutledge, R. E.	Effective	T. 1908	1892	1899
112.	Nelson, W. W		O. T. 1909	1912	1914
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		Present	How and When	ORDA	INED
No.	Name	Relation	Admitted	Deacon	Elder
113.	Smith, J. L.		O. T. 1909	1912	1914
114.	Tolle, H. F		O. T. 1909	1903	1912
115.	Yeager, G. G		O. T. 1909	1912	1913
116.	Hardin, P. D.		T. 1909	1894	1898
117.	Harmon, N. B		T. 1909	1885	1889
118.	Campbell, J. F		O. T. 1909	1911	1913
119.	Alsworth, W. B	Effective	O. T. 1910	1914	1916
120.	Ware, J. O	Effective	O. T. 1910	1907	1911
121.	Waldrop, W. B		O. T. 1911	1913	1915
122.	Schultz, C. A		O. T. 1911	1913	1915
123.	Thomas, W. N.		O. T. 1911	1913	1915
124.	Moore, J. H	Effective	O. T. 1911	1911	1915
125.	Johnson, H. M		O. T. 1912	1914	1917
126.	Ferguson, T. A		O. T. 1912	1914	1916
127.	Oliver, A. S		O. T. 1912	1914	1916
128.	Byrd, A. S.		O. T. 1912		1907
129.	McKee, H. R		O. T. 1912	1914	1916
130.	Flurry, S. E.	Effective	O. T. 1912	1912	1916
131.	Walters, W. J	Effective	M. P. 1913		1914
132.	Allums, R. A.	Effective	O. T. 1913	1917	1920
133.	Strait, C. H	Effective	O. T. 1913	1913	1917
134.	Cooley, E. H.		O. T. 1913	1915	1918
135.	Ulmer, D. W		O. T. 1913	1916	1919
136.	Grice, P. H	Effective	O. T. 1913	1915	1917
137.	Greenway, J. L.		M. E. 1913	1889	1895
138.	Weems, J. T	Effective	O. T. 1914	1916	1920
139.	Castles, H. C.	Effective	O. T. 1914	1917	1919
140.	Clegg, R. H	Effective	O. T. 1914	1916	1918
141.	Jolly, J. H.	Effective	O. T. 1914	1917	1919
142.	Porter, M. W	Effective	O. T. 1914	1916	1918
143.	Sims, A. A	Effective	O. T. 1914	1916	1919
144.	Barrett, W. D	Effective	O. T. 1914	1919	1921
145.	Winstead, T. B		O. T. 1914	1916	1918
146.	Moody, S. C	Effective	O. T. 1914	1916	1918
147.	Jones, C. P.		O. T. 1915	1917	1919
148.	Cain, J. B.		O. T. 1915	1917	1919
149.	Stringer, J. B	Effective	O. T. 1916	1920	1922
150.	Carter, J. L.	Effective	O. T. 1916	1921	
151.	Clifford, V. G		O. T. 1916	1919	1921
<b>152</b> .	Massey, M. A.		C. M. 1916	1906	1910
<b>153.</b>	Higginbotham, C. Y.		O. T. 1917	1919	1921
154.	Raley, H. E.	Effective	O. T. 1917	1919	1921
155.	Sharp, L. M.	Effective	O. T. 1917	1919	
<b>156</b> .	Smith, J. M.	Effective	O. T. 1917	1919	1921
157.	Beasley, A. J	Effective	T. 1917	1915	1919
<b>158</b> .	Wood, H. A.	Effective	M. E. 1917	1917	1919
159.	Ainsworth, T. M	Effective	O. T. 1918	1920	
160.	Allen, E. M.		O. T. 1918	1921	
161.	McCormick, M. L	Effective	O. T. 1918	1922	
162.	Porter, Otto	Effective	O. T. 1918	1920	
163.	Watkins, S. B	Effective	C. M. 1918		
164.	Harkey, S. F.	Effective	T. 1918		191 <b>9</b>
165.	Perritt, H. B	Superan.	T. 1918		
166.	Sells, I. H.	Effective	O. T. 1919		A
167.	Williams, B. H	Effective	O. T. 1919	1	ŧ
168.	Jackson, J. C	Enective	O. T. 1919	1022	
169.	Miller, M. K.	Effective	O. T. 1919	1921	

### CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL—Continued.

	Present	How and When	ORDA	INED
No.	Name Relation	Admitted	Deacon	Elder
170.	Johnson, S. WEffective	Bap. 1911		
171.	Simpson, E. D. Effective	T. 1919		
172.	Hawkins, H. GEffective	T. 1919	1894	1898
173.	Cooper, T. CEffective	O. T. 1920	1922	
174.	Snelgrove, L. JEffective	O. T. 1920	1922	
175.	Sutton, J. LEffective	T. 1920	1902	1912
176.	Watson, J. FEffective	T. 1920		
177.	Ferguson, J. L., JrEffective	T. 1920	1918	1918
178.	Griffin, C. C. Effective	T. 1921	1889	1904
179.	Decell, J. L. Effective	T. 1921	1912	1914
180.	Means, E. KEffective	T. 1921		
181.	Bowen, C. AEffective	T. 1921		
182.	O'Bryant, A. WEffective	T. 1921	1914	
183.	Downer, C. E. Effective	T. 1921	1914	1916
184.	Vaughn, PercyEffective	T. 1922		
185.	Leggett, A. JEffective	M. P. 1922		

### Chronological Roll of Preachers on Trial.

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No.	Name	Class	When Admitted
1.	Ware, W. N		
2.	King, E. A.	Second Year	1921
3.	Boyles, A. J	Second Year	1921
4.	Baggett, W. C. M		1921
	McNeece, G. L		1921
6.	Landrum, Van R		1921
7.	Hunt, B. M		1921
8.	Yeager, D. P	Second Year	1921
	Wesley, C. W		1922
	Rutledge, E. J		1922
	Matheny, O. B		1922
12.	Oakey, H. J.	First Year	1922
13.	Hunt, Rolfe	First Year	1922
14.	Loftus, N. S.	First Year	1922

### Lay Delegates.

O. H. Wingfield I. O. Brown

J. A. Lindsey
J. M. Bush
H. O. Middleton
O. N. Sebren

Brookhaven District: W. D. Davis Dr. H. Flowers Mrs. H. M. Ellis J. E. Carruth Mrs. W. H. Lewis
Mrs. W. H. Lewis
Mrs. R. E. Bennett
J. S. Decell
J. H. Green

J. S. Decell	Meridian District:
J. H. Green	N. D. Chatham
	J. J. Houston
Hattiesburg District:	D. W. Heidelberg
W. S. F. Tatum	Miss Bessie Hardee
H. C. Clarke	C. G. Stokes
C. W. Holloway	Mrs. R. W. Hare
K. T. Moore	W. D. Hawkins
John A. McLeod	J. C. Darnell
James Hand	Newton District:
H. V. Waits	
H. Ogden	W. J. Stokes
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H. Ogden	W. J. Stokes W. H. Jones
Jackson District:	Mrs. Lillie Newcome
C. S. Bennett	W. A. Davenport
W. H. Bradley	P. L. Blackwell

### ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH SESSION

Mrs. R. H. Clegg J. H. Currie W. C. Mabry

### Seashore District:

J. C. Hardy
H. B. Rush
R. W. Hinton
J. C. Ross
T. A. Rawls
D. R. Weston
Mrs. H. W. Featherstun
C. B. Gates

Vicksburg District.

M. M. Satterfield Mrs. P. Sharbrough S. W. Sharbrough Mrs. Bertie Saxon Mrs. T. B. Cottrell J. R. Bankston Rolfe Hunt W. W. Ellis

### ROLL OF THE MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE

### Arranged Alphabetically, with Post Office Address and Present

### Appointment.

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No	. Name.	P. O. Address		Appointment	
	Abney, J. T.	Gallman		Gallman	
2	Ainsworth, T. M.	Enterprise		Enterprise	
3	Alford, •E. L.	Logtown		Logtown	
4	Alford, L. E.	Philadelphia		Philadelphia	
5	Alford, L. F.	Pascagoula		Pascagoula	
6	Allen, E. M.	Vancleave		Vancleave	
7	Allums, R. A.	Monticello		Monticello	
8	Alsworth, W. B.	Utica		Utica	
9	Applewhite, F. L.	Jackson		Rankin Street	
10		Union		Union	
11	Baggett, W. F. Baggett, W. C. M.	Bucatunna		Bucatunna	
12	Barrett, W. D.	Fannin .		Fannin	
13	Beasley, A. J.	Washington		Washington	
14	Bennett, J. V.	Jackson		Evangelist	
15	Black, M. M.	Jackson		Commissioner	
16	Blackwell, W. L.	Brooklyn		Brooklyn	
17	Bowen, C. A.	Jackson		Professor	
18	Boyles, A. J.	Hattiesburg .		Bonhommie	
19	Bradley, R.	Louisville		Superannuate	
20	Broadfoot, A. M.	Brookhaven		Brookhaven	
21	Brown, J. W.	Baton Rouge,	T.a	Superannuate	
22	Burton, M. L.	Jackson	La.	Presiding Elder	
23	Byrd, A. S.	Vaughn		Vaughn	
24	Cain, J. B.	Ellisville		Ellisville	
25	Cammack, W. W.	Fayette		Superannuate	
26	Campbell, J. F'.	Wiggins		Wiggins	
27	Carley, Lyman	Ellisville		Superannuate	
28	Carter, J. L.	Wesson		Scotland	
29	Castles, H. C.	Long Beach		Long Beach	
30	Chambers, J. C.	Jackson		S. S. Secretary	
31	Clegg, R. H.	Raleigh		Raleigh	
32	Clifford, V. G.	Centerville		Centerville	
33	Coker, E. J.	Carriere		Carriere	
34	Cooley, E. H.	Bay Springs		Bay Springs	
35	Cooper, I. W.	Brookhaven		Pres. Whitworth	College
36	Cooper, T. C.	Philadelphia		Neshoba	0011080
37	Corley, J. M.	Lumberton		Lumberton	
38	Cottrell, T. B.	Vicksburg		Gibson Memorial	
39	Crossley, C. M.	Hattiesburg		Court Street	
40		Ocean Springs		Pass Christian	
41	Davis, A. J.	Hattiesburg		Broad Street	
42	Dawson, W. J.	Brandon		Brandon	
43	Decell, J. L.	Meridian		Central	
44	Dickens, W. E.	Daleville		Daleville	
45	Dominick, W. D.	Gulfport		Superannuate	
46	Downer, C. E.	Terry		Terry	
47	Ellis, C. H.	Camden		Superannuate	
48	Ellis, G. R.	Seminary		Superannuate	
49	Ellis, H. M.	Brookhaven		Presiding Elder	
50	Ellis, J. C.	New Augusta		Superannuate	
51	Ellis, J. D.	Quitman		Quitman	
52	Emery, C. F.	Fayette		Fayette	
53	Evans, C. C.	Natchez		Natchez	
54	Featherstun, H. W.			Superannuate	
55	Ferguson, J. E. J.	Summit		Summit & Topisa	W
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No.	Name.	P. O. Address	Appointment
56	Ferguson, J. L. Jr.	Jackson	College Professor
57	Ferguson, T. A.	Laurel	Kingston
58	Ferguson, W. J.	Yazoo City	Yazoo City
59	Flurry, S. E.	Chunky	Chunky
60	Foreman, J. H.	Flora	Flora
61		Heidelberg	Heidelberg
62	Forsyth, W. G.	Bay St. Louis	Bay St. Louis
	Galloway, J. G.	Canton	Canton
63	Gatlin, H. A.	Hattiesburg	Presiding Elder
	Graves, W. W.	Moss Point	Moss Point
65	Gray, J. E.		Mt. Olive
66	Greenway, J. L.	Mt Olive	Ocean Springs
67	Grice, J. H.	Ocean Springs	Shiloh
68	Grice, P. H.	Johns	Oloh
69	Griffin, C. C.	Clyde	Evangelist
	Griffin, W. T.	Summit	
	Hardin, P. D.	Meridian	Presiding Elder
72	Harkey, S. F.	Meadville	Meadville
73	Harmon, G. S.	Hattiesburg	Evangelist
74	Harmon, N. B.	Newton	Newton
75	Hawkins, H. G.	Woodville	Woodville
76	Hays, W. A.	Meridian	Poplar Springs
77	Herring, C. H.	Walnut Grove	Walnut Grove
78	Higginbotham, C. Y.	Louise	Louise & Holly Bluff
79	Howse, P. H.	Silver Creek	Silver Creek
80	Huff, G. W.	Gulfport	Superannuate
81	Huntley, W. H.	Port Gibson	Port Gibson
82	Hunt, B. M.	Lorman	Harriston
83	Hunt, Rolfe	Lorman	Evangelist
84	Jackson, J. C.	Vossburg	Eucutta
85	Johnston, H. M.	Bolton	Bolton
86	Johnson, S. W.	Biloxi	Biloxi
87	Jolly, J. H.	Leakesville	Leakesville
88	Jones, C. P.	Magnolia	Magnolia
89	Jones, B. F.	Edwards	Edwards
90	Jones, J. R.	Vicksburg	Presiding Elder
91	Jones, M. R.	Montrose	Montrose
92	Jones, W. B.	Crystal Springs	Crystal Springs
93	Kelly, D. E.	Hattiesburg	Evangelist
94	King, E. A.	Benton	Benton
95	King, JB.	Auburn	Superannuate
96	King, T. H.	Saucier	Saucier
97	Lane, W. H.	Lauderdale	Lauderdale & Electric
98	Landrum, Van R.	Harlston	Americus
99	Leggett, A. J.	Taylorsville	Taylorsville
100	Leggett, J. T.	Hattiesburg	Main Street
	Lewis, B. F.	Jackson	Sup't Orphans' Home
102	Lewis, B. W.	Eden	Eden
103	Lewis, J. M.	Meridian	Hawkins Memorial
104	Lewis, O. S.	Laurel	First Church
105	Lewis, W. H.	Meridian	East End
106	Linfield, W. L.	Gulfport	Gulfport
107	Loftus, N. S.	Rosetta	Rosetta
108	Maddox, H. J.	Laurel	Seminary
109	Martin, C. M.	Meridian	Superannuate
110	Massey, M. A.	DeSoto	DeSoto
111	Matheny, O. B.	Vimville .	Vimville
112	McClellan, J. F.	Homewood	Homewood
113	McCormick, M. L.	Roxie	Roxie
114	McKee, H. R.	Prentiss	Prentiss
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No.	Name.	P. O. Address	Appointment
115	McKeown, G. P.	Silver City	Silver City
116	McNeece, G. L.	Trenton	Trenton
117	Means, E. K.	Jackson	Galloway Memorial
118	Meigs, B. E.	Lucedale	Lucedale
119	Mellard, H.	Sumrall .	Sumrall
	Miller, M. K.	Hermanville	Hermanville
120		Petal	Petal
121	Moody, S. C.		Forest & Morton
122	Moore, H. J.	Forest	
123	Moore, J. A.	Newton	Presiding Elder
124	Moore, J. H.	Picayune	Picayune
125	Moore, W. W.	Biloxi	Wesley Memorial
126	Morse, J. M.	Jackson	Secretary Education
127	Murray, W. W.	Harperville	Harperville
128	Neil, J. L.	Prague, Czecho-Slovakia	Sup't Missions
129	Nelson, W. W.	Summit	Adams
130	Nicholson, J. T.	Laurel	Superannuate
131	Noble, C. T.	Sanford	Fernwood
132	Norton, H. L.	Fernwood	Superannuate
		Porterville	Porterville
133	Oakley, H. J.		Richton
134	O'Bryant, A. W.	Richton	
135	Oliver, A. S.	McComb	La Branch Street
136	O'Neil, T. J.	Rolling Fork	Rolling Fork
137	Ormond, F. B.	Tylertown	Tylertown
138	Peebles, I. L.	Meridian	Superannuate
139	Perritt, H. B.	Wesson	Superannuate
140	Phillips, E. D.	McNeill	Superannuate
141	Porter, Otto	Atlanta, Ga.	Student
$\overline{142}$	Porter, M. W.	Avera	Avera
143	Price, J. W.	Foxworth	Foxworth
144	Purcell, J. S.	Wesson	Wesson
145	Raley, H. E.	Osyka	Osyka
		Laurel	West End
146	Ramsey, J. W.		
147	Rawls, B. H.	Moselle	Superannuate
148	Roberts, L. L.	Columbia	Columbia
149	Robertson, Ira B.	McNair	Superannuate
	Rutledge, E. J.	Saucier	Junior Preacher
151	Rutledge, R. E.	Pachuta	Pachuta
152	Saunders, W. H.	Hazlehurst	Hazlehurst
153	Schultz, C. A.	Anguilla	Anguilla
154	Selby, Robert	Vicksburg	Crawford Street
155	Sells, I. H.	Harrisville	Harrisville
156	Sells, J. L.	Meridian	Fifth Street
157	Sharbrough, M. B.	Biloxi	Biloxi
158	Sharp, L. M.	Jackson	Monterey
159	Sibley, R. A.	Waynesboro	Waynesboro Ct.
160		Gloster	Superannuate
	Simmons, W. W.		
161	Sims, A. A.	Florence	Florence
162	Simpson, E. D.	Oak Ridge	Oak Ridge
163	Smith, J. M.	Meridian	Evangelist
164	Smith, J. L.	Gloster	Gloster
165	Strait, C. H.	Decatur	Decatur
166	Stringer, J. B.	Escatawpa	Escatawpa
X167	Snelgrove, L. J.	Cleveland	Moscow
168	Sullivan, W. M.	Gulfport	Presiding Elder
169	Sutton, J. L.	Jackson	Mgr Home Finding Soc.
170	Terry, W. A.	Shubuta	Shubuta
171	Thomas, W. N.	Fort Lyons, Col.	Chaplain U. S. Navy
172			
173	Thompson, G. H.		Collins
119	Thompson, J. W.	Collins	Collins .

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No.	Name.	P. O. Address	Appointment
174	Tolle, H. F.	Jackson	Capitol Street
175	Ulmer, D. W.	Scooba	Scooba
176	Van Hook, H. W.	Biloxi	Pres. S. S. C. School
177	Vaughn, Percy	Madison	Madison
178	Vickers, D. E.	Meridian	Seventh Avenue
, 179	Waldrop, W. B.	Foxworth	Supernumerary
180	Walters, W. J.	Williamsburg	Williamsburg
181	Ware, J. O.	Mendenhall	Mendenhall
182	Ware, W. N.	Sharon	Sharon
183	Watkins, A. F.	Jackson	Pres. Millsaps College
184	Watkins, S. B.	Glancy	Bayou Pierre
185	Watson, J. F.	Bentonia	Bentonia .
186	Weems, J. T.	Bogue Chitto	Bogue Chitto
187	Wells, J. A.	McComb	Pearl River Avenue
188	Westbrook, H. S.	New Augusta	New Augusta
189	Wesley, C. W.	Atlanta, Ga.	Student-Emory
190	White, M. L.	Dekalb	Dekalb.
191	Williams, B. H.	Satartia	Satartia
192	Williams, J. E.	Poplarville	Poplarville
193	Williams, W. M.	Purvis	Purvis
194	Winstead, T. B.	Carthage	Carthage
195	Witt, R. F.	Meridian	Superannuace
196	Wood, H. A.	Waynesboro	Waynesboro
197	Yeager, D. P.	Matherville	Matherville
198	Yeager, G. G.	Rose Hill	Rose Hill
199	Young, S. N.	Lake	Lake

### Local Preachers Serving as Supplies.

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No.	Name	P. O. Address	Appointment
1	Allen, G. E.	Camden	Camden
2	Assaf, Charles	Jackson	Syrian Mission
3	Boyles, G. H.	Yazoo City	Yazoo City Ct.
_	Ezell, Wesley	Rocky Springs	Rocky Springs
	Fleming, J. H.	Crandall	DeSoto
6	Jones, F. J.	Monticello	Pleasant Grove
7	Long, A. T.	Barlow	Barlow
-	Long, J. C.	Philadelphia	North Neshoba
9	Miller, M. J.	Mayersville	Mayersville
	Myers, R. L.	Lucedale	Lucedale Ch.
11	Sells, J. W.	Jackson	Georgetown
12	Sharp, J. H.	Perth	Nebo
13	Snelgrove, E. D.	Meridian	Seventh Avenue
14	Williams, R. G.	Perkinston	Mentorum

### LOCAL PREACHERS

No.	Name	P. O. Address	District	Quarterly Conference
1.	Alexander, J. M.	Perkinston	Seashore	Mentorum
2.	Alford, C. W.	Anding	Jackson	Bentonia
3.	Alford, N. E.	Holmesville	Brookhaven	Osyka
4.	Allen, G. E.	Camden	Jackson	Camden
5.	Bales, R. B.	McComb.	Brookhaven.	Labranch St.
6.	Ball, I. H.	Jackson	Jackson	Capitol St.
7.	Benson, B. D.	Jackson	Jackson	Capitol St.
8.	Bishop, J. A.	Biloxi	Seashore	Biloxi
9.	Boyles, C. O.	Jackson	Jackson	Capitol St.
10.	Boyles, G. H.	Yazoo City	Jackson	Yazoo City Ct.
11.	Broadway, J. N.	DeSoto	Meridian	DeSoto

### LOCAL PREACHERS—Continued.

No.	Name	P. O. Address	District	Quarterly Conference
12.	Broom, J. W.	Jackson	Jackson	Terry
13.	Cain, J. H.	Perkinston	Seashore	Mentorum
14.	Campbell, D. R.	Sumrall	Hattiesburg	Sumrall
15.	Cammack, J. G.	Los Angeles, Cal.		Trinity
16.	Carruth, H. L.	Kokomo	Brookhaven	Fernwood
17.	Chalfant, V. E.	Jackson	Jackson	Capitol St.
18.	Cottrell, H. B.	Vicksburg	Vicksburg	Gibson Memorial
19.	Crook, B. F.	Gulfport	Seashore	Gulfport
20.	Cruthirds, J. H.	Nugent	Seashore	Ocean Springs
21.	Day, H. W.	Rosetta	Vicksburg	Rosetta
22.	Day, W. L.	Brookhaven	Brookhaven	Brookhaven
23.	David, M. W.	Vestry	Seashore	Mentorum
34.	DeLaBar, F. D.	Meridian	Meridian	Hawkins Memor'l
25.	Dennis, F. V.	Meridian	Meridian	Hawkins Memor'l
26.	Dukes, D. M.	Jackson	Jackson	Flora
27.	Elam, W. F.	Brookhaven	Brookhaven	Brookhaven
28.	Ellis, J. C. Jr.	New Augusta	Hattiesburg	New Augusta
29.	Ezell, Wesley	Rocky Springs	Vicksburg	Rocky Springs
30.	Fayard, Louis	Biloxi Summit	Seashore Brookhaven	Coalville Summit & Topis'w
31. 32.	Felder, M. G.	Wesson	Brookhaven	Wesson & Beaure
33.	F'erguson, J. L. Fleming, J. H.	Crandall	Meridian	DeSoto
34.	Flowers, A. C.	Meridian	Meridian	Fifth St.
35.	Flowers, I. W.	Jackson	Jackson	Capitol St.
36.	Gibson, C. C.	Summit	Brookhaven	Summit & Topis'w
37.	Gibson, R. M.	Newton	Newton	Newton
38.	Gilbert, J. O.	Carpenter	Vicksburg	Utica
39.	Gilmore, H. B.	Hattiesburg	Hattiesburg	Broad St.
40.	Goff, Hugh	Basin	Seashore	Americus
41.	Gore, A. N.	Jackson	Jackson	Galloway Memor'l
42.	Guice, D. F.	Meadville	Brookhaven	Meadville & Bude
43.	Gunn, Clyde	Hattiesburg	Hattiesburg	Broad St.
44.	Gray, F. B.	Meridian	Meridian	Hawkins Memor'l
45.	Grice, E. C.	Mississippi City	Seashore	Gulfport
46.	Griffith, J. M.	Veto	Vicksburg	Veto
47.	Griffith, J. T.	Waynesboro	Meridian	Matherville
48.	Hackles, Alonzo	Oak Ridge	Vicksburg	Oak Ridge
19.	Hale, L. G.	Gulfport	Seashore	Coalville
50.	Hankins, H. P.	Louin	Newton	Montrose
51.	Hardy, J. C.	Gulfport	Seashore	Gulfport
52.	Harper, H. S.	Jackson	Jackson	Galloway Memor'l
53.	Havens, J. H.	Vancleave	Seashore	Vancleave
54.	Hays, J. R.	Walnut Grove	Newton	Walnut Grove
55.	Hilton, Drury	Star	Jackson	Harrisville
56.	Holland, J. L.	Meridian	Meridian	. Fifth St.
57.	Huddleston, G. W.	.Jackson	Jackson	Galloway Memor'l
58.	Hudson, C.		Hattiesburg	Prentiss
59.	Hundley, A. C.	Moselle	Hattiesburg	Ellisville
60.	Hutchinson, E. D		Brookhaven	Crystal Springs
61.	Hutchinson, J. W.		Brookhaven	Crystal Springs
62.	Imhoff, John		Brookhaven	Osyka
63.			Brookhaven	Pleasant Grove
64.	Jordan, J. L.	Biloxi	Seashore	Biloxi
65.	Lingerman, F. L.		Seashore	Americus
66. 67.	Little, Otto	Wesson	Brookhaven	Scotland
68.	Long, A. T.	Barlow	Brookhaven	Barlow
67.			Newton	Philadelphia
68.	Luster T. A	Jackson Byram	Jackson	Galloway Memor'l
00.	Luster, T. A.	Бугаш	Jackson	Terry

### LOCAL PREACHERS—Continued.

No.	Name	P. O. Address	District	Quarterly Conference
69.	Martin, Fred	Jackson	Jackson	Capitol St.
70.	Massey, C. A.	Waynesboro	Meridian	Waynesboro
71.	Matheny, M. G.	Meridian	Meridian	Poplar Springs
72.	McBride, L. J.	Wesson	Brookhaven	Wesson
73.	McGehee, R. B.	Gulfport	Seashore	Gulfport
	McKnight, A. A.	McComb	Brookhaven	La Branch St.
74. 75.	McLaurin, O. B.	Meadville	Brookhaven	Meadville & Bude
76.	McNeely, J. L.	Brookhaven	Brookhaven	Brookhaven
77.	Meador, W. P.	Hattiesburg	Hattiesburg	Broad St.
78.	Meigs, H. K.	Homewood	Newton	Homewood
79.	Miller, C. O.	Picayune	Seashore	Picayune
80.	Miller, M. J.	Mayersville	Vicksburg	Mayersville
81.	Mitchell, B. E.	Jackson	Jackson	Galloway Memor'l
82.	Moore, L. B.	Why Not	Meridian	Vimville
82.	Norsworthy, H. C		Hattiesburg	Broad St.
	Norsworthy, T. J	I Maridian	Meridian	Central
84.	Oakey, R. W.	Forest	Newton	Forest & Morton
85.	Phillips, A. A.	McNeill	Seashore	Carriere
86.	Phillips, C. J.	Vancleave	Seashore	Vancleave
87.		Jackson	Jackson	Galloway Memor'l
88.	Ray, T. J.	Meridian	Meridian	Seventh Ave.
89.	Riley, E. W.	Meadville	Vicksburg	Nebo
90.	Rollins, D. D. Saucier, Randolp		Seashore	Coalville
91.	Scarborough, H.I	Machanicshurg	Jackson	Satartia
92.		Fernwood	Brookhaven	Fernwood
93.	Scott, O. H.	Anguilla	Vicksburg	Anguilla
94.	Selby, R. E.	Jackson	Jackson	Georgetown
95.	Sells, J. W.	Sumrall	Hattiesburg	Sumrall
96.	Shanks, Jesse	Perth	Vicksburg	Nebo
97.	Sharp, J. H.	Jackson	Jackson	Galloway Memor'l
98.	Shearer, J. B.		Meridian	Seventh Ave.
99.	Snelgrove, E. D.		Brookhaven	Georgetown
100.	Stapp, C. J.	Hazlehurst Petal	Hattiesburg	Petal
101.	Stapleton, O. C.	Columbia	Hattiesburg	Oloh
102.	Steel, A. H.	Montrose	Hattiesburg	Montrose
103.	Stewart, C. L.		Meridian	East End
104.	Stokes, C. G. Jr.	. Jackson McNeil	Vicksburg	Gloster
105.	Stokes, L. L.		Newton	Montrose
106.	Stokes, W. J.	Montrose	Meridian	Bucatunna
107.	Taylor, H. J.	Chicora	Hattiesburg	Heidelburg
108.	Traylor, E. J.	Jackson	Meridian	Matherville
109.	Trotter, A.	Matherville		North Neshoba
110.	Tubby, S. J.	Philadelphia	Newton Hattiesburg	Richton
111.	West, S. N.	Blodgett	Hattiesburg	Leakesville
112.	Westerfield, Y. I	J.Leakesville		Broad St.
113.	Wicht, L. E.	Hattiesburg	Hattiesburg	
114.	Williams, Ira	Lyman	Seashore	Saucier
115.	Williams, R. G.	Perkinston	Seashord	Mentorum
116.	Wingfield, O. H.	Jackson	Jackson	Capitol St.

OUR SAINTEI	DEAD.
Name.	Date of Death.
Louis Hobbs	August 1, 1814
Richmond Nolley	November 25, 1814
Samuel Parker	December 20, 1819
Nicholas McIntyre	August 15, 1824
Henry P. Cook	October 14, 1825
John P. Haney	October 3, 1831
James A. Hughes	1831
Daniel H. Brewer	1833
William V. Douglas	1839
I. G. L. Strickland	July 2, 1839
James L. Newman	1840
James Gwynn	
Elijah Steel	
Alexander M. Whitney	October 5, 1842
Samuel W. Hawkins	1843
James A. Shockley	
Robert D. Smith	
William C. Payne	
Haden Leavel	
Solomon G. Simpkins	-
Abner W. Chapman	
John C. Johnson	
James Watson	May 14, 1852
Joab Evans	February 4, 1853
Orsamus, L. Nash	August 8, 1853
George W. Morris	October 21, 1853
Edward Love	September 19, 1853
Josiah B. Daughtry	December -, 1854
W. C. Booth	December —, 1854
A. T. M. Fly	October 1, 1855
John Lane	
William Hyer	November 3, 1855
William Stephenson	March 5, 1857
Lewis Garrett	April 28, 1857
William Winans	
Dabney F. Lewis	
Benjamin J. Woodward	
Samuel Dawson	
Green M. Rodgers	
Preston Cooper	August 1, 1858
John T. Drew	November 10, 1859
Benjamin M. Drake	

Llewell Campbell			
George C. Light			
Thomas C. Thornton			
James Walton	January	18,	1861
Edward Mortimer	February	6,	1861
Joseph A. McPherson	June	18,	1861
Allen Cassels	September	28,	1861
John J. Millsaps	December	16,	1861
John P. Richardson	March	4,	<b>186</b> 2
Vernon H. Johnston	June	14,	1862
David M. Wiggins	November	5,	1862
Wiley P. Dickerson	December	10,	1862
William M. Curtis	February	9,	1863
John C. Taylor	June	19,	1863
John M. Massey	April	5,	1864
John R. Lambuth	November	6,	1864
John B. Shaw	October	30,	1867
Robert W. Lambuth	June	16,	1867
Henry D. Berry	October	26,	1867
Peter E. Green	February	—,	1868
Thomas Owen			
Hardy Mullens	September	27,	1868
Peter James	March	18,	1869
Samuel T. Swinney	August	14,	1869
W. W. Drake			
Burwell B. Whittington	November	26,	1870
James Maclennan			1870
R. H. Herbert	•••••		1870
U. L. Thompson			
John Blacklidge	September	11,	1870
Thomas Nixon	March	4,	1872
Leonidas R. Redding	March	2,	1872
Ransom J. Jones.	March	26,	1872
John D. Willis			
John G. Deskin	September	5,	1873
William McCormick			
Thomas Clinton	October	27,	1875
James Long	January	27,	1876
Jesse McKay	December	24,	1876
Calvin C. Watkins	May	13,	1877
William Wadsworth	December	25,	1877
Barnabas, Pipkin			
James Shanks			
Daniel A. J. Parker			
John B. Higginbotham	January	11,	1879

William Finn	February	10,	1879
Philip H. Napier			
Henderson H. Montgomery	June	15,	1879
Hervey Copeland	July	24,	1879
Andrew Day	May	8,	1880
James J. Smylie	January	1,	1881
William H. Watkins	February	11,	1881
W. E. M. Linfield	March	16,	1882
John S. Calhoun	February	11,	1883
Ambrose M. Barrington	March	30,	1883
G. W. Calhoun			
George M. Gilmore	Мау	1,	1884
Joshua T. Heard	December	30,	1884
Mager C. Calloway	January	13,	1885
David M. Rush			
James H. Shelton			
Gabriel Hawkins	May	13,	1885
Harvey F. Johnson	August	4,	1886
Martin A. Bell	October	5,	1886
William Spillman			
Joseph Nicholson	December	30,	1886
William G. Millsaps	February	25,	1887
John Lusk			
Charles C. Gillespie	July	24,	1887
James L. Forsyth			
James N. Williams	September	6,	1887
John C. Brogan	January	12,	1888
James A. Newsom	July	29,	1888
John G. Jones	October	1,	1888
George F. Thompson	October	27,	1888
Andrew B. Stewart	July	17,	1889
D. W. Dillehay	December	29.	1889
James A. Godfrey	June	11.	1890
John D. Hays			
Francis M. Featherstun			
James M. Gann			
Richard Abbey			
E. R. Strickland		-	
J. W. Lambuth			
Levi Pearce	_		
L. W. Wood	August	26.	1892
John A. Ellis		-	
T. Y. Armstrong.	*		
Benjamin Jones			
George T. Vickers			

Duncan A. Little	December	27,	1894
John W. Ellison	September	12,	1895
William E. Ballard	November	23,	1895
Thomas Price			
David Merchant	March	31,	1896
Thomas S. West		-	
N. M. Clark			
R. S. Woodward	April	10,	1897
J. V. Penn	August	5,	1897
Henry J. Harris	January	15,	1898
George W. Ferrer	September	13,	1898
J. M. Pugh	June	9,	1899
C. G. Andrews	January	7,	1900
George Bancroft	Мау	1,	1900
A. B. Nicholson	July	2,	1900
H. B. Trevillion	December	28,	1900
Robert Watkins Bailey	February	9,	1901
William B. Stevens	July	22,	1901
William B. Hines	April	24,	1901
E. A. Flowers	April	28,	1901
Pinckney A. Johnson	September	26,	1901
Ransom J. Jones	December	24,	1901
Jacob H. Holland	January	18,	1902
James Perry Drake	January	19,	1902
John W. Harmon	March	9,	1902
John A. Vance	January	6,	1903
Curtis D. Cecil	December	24,	1904
E. F. Edgar	January	5,	1905
L. P. Meador	March	14,	1905
T. W. Brown	May	31,	1905
B. S. Rayner	September	3,	1905
W. W. Hurst			
A. D. Miller	December	30,	1906
N. B. Young	July	3,	1907
Jas. A. Moore	April	2,	1908
M. A. Thurman	April	28,	1908
J. W. Chambers	April	11,	1909
H. D. Howell	April	15,	1909
D. P. Bradford	Мау	9,	1909
C. A. Powell	December	2,	<b>19</b> 09
J. A. B. Jones			
J. N. Ware			
W. B. Lewis			
H. R. Singleton			
W. W. Morse			
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W. L. C. Hunnicutt	May 5, 1910
D. G. W. Ellis	May 21, 1910
E. W. Lipscomb	November 17, 1910
Parmenas Howard	November 25, 1910
M. H. Moore	July 3, 1911
J. W. McLaurin	August 10, 1911
F. M. Williams	February 16, 1912
D. C. Langford	March 22, 1912
R. S. Gale	September 1, 1912
W. G. Backus	June 10, 1912
R. B. Downer	July 6, 1912
C. McDonald	April 1, 1913
J. W. Sandell	May 17, 1913
J. M. Weems	July 30, 1913
R. D. Norsworthy	August 13, 1914
J. S. Parker	
W. C. Black	•
G. A. Guice	•
R. A. Sibley	
H. R. Caldwell	
G. H. Galloway	the state of the s
L. J. Jones	
J. H. Evans	
M. F. Adams	, -
H. P. Lewis	
E. H. Mounger	
T. B. Holloman	
H. B. Watkins	
R. H. Barr	December 30, 1921
J. M. Massey	January 23, 1922
W. W. Hopper	November 13, 1922
T. W. Adams	November 21, 1922

### HISTORICAL TABLE

### SESSIONS OF THE MISSISSIPPI CONFERENCE

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YR.	TIME.	PLACE.	PRESIDENT.	SECRETARY.
1813	Nov. 1	Spring Hill	Samuel Sellers	William Winans.
1814	Nov. 14	John Ford's	Samuel Sellers	William Winans.
1815	Nov. 16	Adams Camp Gr'd.	Samuel Sellers	William Winans.
1816	Oct. 10	William Foster's	Roberts	
1817	Nov. 7	Midway	McKendree	John Menefee.
1818	Oct. 29	Ford's	McKendree	John Menefee
1819	Nov. 17	Washington	George	
1820	Nov. 17	Midway		
1821	Dec. 7	Washington	George.	
1822	Dec. 7	John McRay's	William Winans	
1823	Dec. 25	Natchez	***************************************	
1824	Dec. 22	Tuscaloosa, Ala	Soule	
1825	Dec. 8	Washington	Roberts	William Winans
1826	Dec. 14	Tuscaloosa, Ala	Roberts	William Winans
1827	Dec. 20	Natchez	Soule	
1828	Dec. 25	Tuscaloosa, Ala	Soule	William Winans
1829	Dec. 17	Washington	Roberts	Joseph McDowell
1830	Nov. 24	Tuscaloosa, Ala	Jas. H. Mellard	Joseph McDowell:
1831	Nov. 23	Woodville	Roberts	We M Curtis
1832	Dec. 13	Vicksburg	Andrew	Inc. P. Thomas
1833	Nov. 13	Natchez	Emory	Jas. P. Thomas.
			William Winans	Dahart D. Smith
1834	Nov. 12 Nov. 25	Clinton, La	Costle	Robert D. Smith
1835	Dec. 7		Soule	Robert D. Smith.
1836	Dec. 6	Vicksburg		
1837		Natchez	Andrew	Joseph Travis.
1838		Grenada	Morris	Joseph Travis.
1839	Dec. 4 Dec. 2	Natchez	Andrew	Joseph Travis.
1840		Vicksburg	Wassel	S. W. Spear.
1841	Nov. 24	New Orleans, La	Waugh	
1842	Nov. 30	Jackson	Andrew	S. W. Spear.
1843	Nov. 29	Woodville	Soule	S. W. Spear.
1844	Dec. 11	Port Gibson	Janes	S. W. Spear.
1845	Dec. 10	New Orleans, La	Soule	Hayden Leavel.
1846	Dec. 16	Natchez	Andrew	
1847	Dec. 15	Canton		
1848	Dec. 6	Vicksburg	0	
1849	Dec. 5	Natchez	Capers	james Maciennan
1850	Dec. 4	Yazoo City	Capers	H. J. Harris.
1851	Dec. 17	Clinton, La	Paine	H. J. Harris.
1852	Dec. 15	Jackson	Andrew	H. J. Harris.
1853	Nov. 23	Canton	CapersEarly	H. J. Harris.
1854	Nov. 8	Jackson, La	Early	w. H. Watkins.
1855	Nov. 28	Vicksburg	Kavanaugh	H. J. Harris.
1856	Nov. 26	Kosciusko	Pierce	W. H. Watkins.
1857	Nov. 18	Brandon	Early	H. J. Harris.
1858	Dec. 8	Woodville	Paine	
1859	Nov. 16	Jackson	B. M. Drake	H. J. Harris.
1860	Nov. 21	Natchez	Early	
1861	Nov. 27	Canton	Paine	H. J. Harris. H. J. Harris.
1862	Nov. 19	Jackson	Pierce	H. J. Harris.
1863	Nov. 4	Kosciusko	Andrew	H. J. Harris.
1864	Nov. 23	Crystal Springs	PaineLevi Pearce	H. J. Harris.
1865	Nov. 1	Lexington	Levi Pearce	C. G. Andrews

### HISTORICAL TABLE—Continued

YR.	TIME.	PLACE.	PRESIDENT.	SECRETARY.
1866	Nov. 28	Brookhaven	Paine	C. G. Andrews.
1867	Dec. 4	Natchez	Paine	C. G. Andrews.
1868	Nov. 18	Vicksburg	Kavanaugh	C. G. Andrews.
1869	Dec. 8	Jackson	McTyeire	C. G. Andrews.
1870	Dec. 14	Crystal Springs	Doggett	C. G. Andrews.
1871	Dec. 13	Meridian	Kavanaugh	C. G. Andrews.
1872	Dec. 11	Brandon	Kavanaugh	C. G. Andrews.
1873	Dec. 10	Brandon	Wightman	C. G. Andrews.
1874	Dec. 16	Hazlehurst	Paine	C. G. Andrews.
1875	Dec. 15	Canton	Marvin	C. G. Andrews.
1876 1877	Nov. 29 Dec. 5	Natchez	Wightman	C. G. Andrews.
1878	Dec. 18	Jackson Hazlehurst	McTyeire Keener	C. G. Andrews.
1879	Dec. 17	Meridian	Kavanaugh	C. G. Andrews.
1880	Dec. 8	Vicksburg	C. G. Andrews	J. A. B. Jones.
1881	Dec. 14	Brookhaven	Keener	C. G. Andrews.
1882	Dec. 13	Crystal Springs	Wilson	C. G. Andrews.
1883	Dec. 12	Natchez.	Kavanaugh	C. G. Andrews.
1884	Dec. 17	Yazoo City	Parker	C. G. Andrews.
1885	Dec. 16	Meridian	McTyeire	C. G. Andrews.
1886	Dec. 15	Port Gibson	Duncan	C. G. Andrews.
1887	Dec. 14	Jackson	Keener	C. G. Andrews.
1888	Dec. 5	Vicksburg	Hargrove	
1889 1890	Dec. 18 Dec. 17	Crystal Springs	Galloway	C. G. Andrews.
1891	Dec. 17	Canton	Galloway	C. G. Andrews.
1892	Dec. 14	Natchez	Granberry	C. G. Andrews.
1893	Dec. 7	Hazlehurst	Key	C. G. Andrews.
1894	Dec. 12	Meridian	Keener	C. G. Andrews.
1895	Dec. 4	Yazoo City	Duncan	C. G. Andrews.
1896	Dec. 2	Port Gibson	Hendrix	C. G. Andrews.
1897	Dec. 30	Jackson	Wilson	C. G. Andrews.
1898	Dec. 29	Hattiesburg	Galloway	C. G. Andrews.
1899	Dec. 13	Vicksburg	Duncan	C. G. Andrews.
1900	Dec. 13	Brookhaven	Hargrove	J. A. B. Jones.
1901 1902	Dec. 11 Dec. 11	McComb City	Morrison	A. F. Watkins.
1902	Dec. 11 Dec. 9	Natchez Meridian	Key	A. F. Watkins. A. F. Watkins.
1904	Dec. 7	Gulfport	Duncan	A. F. Watkins. A. F. Watkins.
1905	Dec. 13	Gloster	Galloway	A. F. Watkins.
1906	Dec. 12	Laurel	Ward	A. F. Watkins.
1907	Dec. 11	Jackson	Hendrix	A. F. Watkins.
1908	Dec. 9	Yazoo City	Morrison	A. F. Watkins.
1909	Dec. 8	Brookhaven	Hoss	A. F. Watkins.
1910	Dec. 7	Hattiesburg	Mouzon	A. F. Watkins.
1911	Dec. 6	Meridian	Candler	A. F. Watkins.
1912	Dec. 11	Hazlehurst	Morrison	A. F. Watkins.
1913	Dec. 3	Natchez	Candler	A. F. Watkins.
1914 1915	Dec. 9	Columbia	Denny	A. F. Watkins.
1916	Nov. 24 Dec. 13	LaurelJackson	Atkins	A. F. Watkins. Λ. F. Watkins.
1917	Dec. 15	Vicksburg	Murrah	A. F. Watkins.
1918	Dec. 4	McComb	Kilgo	A. F. Watkins.
1919	Nov. 26	Meridian	Kilgo	A. F. Watkins.
1920	Dec. 1	Brookhaven	McMurry	\. F. Watkins.
1921	Nov. 30	Jackson	McMurry	A. F. Watkins.
1922	Nov. 30	Crystal Springs	Ainsworth	A. F. Watkins
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### CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

### FIRST DAY.

Crystal Springs, Mississippi, November 30, 1922.

Convened—The One Hundred and Ninth Session of the Mississippi Annual Conference, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, met in the Methodist Church, Crystal Springs, Mississippi, at nine o'clock a.m., Thursday, November 30, 1922, Bishop William N. Ainsworth, presiding. Hymn number 560 was sung, Bishop Ainsworth led the Conference in prayer and read a Scripture lesson from the fourth chapter of the Second Epistle to the Corinthians. The Bishop also read extracts from John Wesley's writings on the conduct of preachers, and spoke to the Conference relative to the work of the Session.

Roll Call—The Secretary of the last Session called the Roll and the following answered to their names:

Ira B. Robertson B. F. Jones A. F. Watkins B. F. Lewis H. W. Featherstun Robert Selby M. L. Burton J. M. Morse W. L. Linfield W. H. Huntley H. M. Ellis J. G. Galloway W. M. Sullivan M. L. White P. H. Howse H. L. Norton H. Mellard G. H. Thompson B. W. Lewis J. C. Ellis G. R. Eliis W. J. Ferguson J. T. Abney W. J. Dawson W. T. Griffin C. C. Evans C. M. Crossley J. H. Foreman W. M. Williams F. B. Ormond J. D. Ellis M. M. Black R. A. Sibley T. B. Cottrell

John A. Moore

J. B. King C. H. Herring J. W. Ramsey L. L. Roberts R. T. Pickett D. E. Vickers J. A. Wells A. J. Davis J. W. Price H. S. Westbrook F. L. Applewhite J. C. Chambers J. S. Purcell R. E. Rutledge W. W. Nelson J. L. Smith H. F. Tolle G. G. Yeager P. D. Hardin N. B. Harmon J. F. Campbell W. B. Alsworth J. O. Ware C. A. Schultz J. H. Moore H. M. Johnson T. A. Ferguson A. S. Oliver A. S. Byrd S. E. Flurry W. J. Walters R. A. Allums C. H. Strait D. W. Ulmer P. H. Grice

G. P. McKeown
W. A. Terry
L E Alford
L. E. Alford H. J. Moore
G. S. Harmon
H. A. Gatlin
W. H. Lewis
W. L. Blackwell
T. J. O'Neil
T. H. King
J. R. Jones
J. M. Corloy
J. M. Corley J. E. Gray E. L. Alford J. E. J. Ferguson
J. E. Glay
L. L. Allord
J. E. J. Ferguson
E. J. Coker
W. B. Jones
S. N. Young
I. W. Cooper
W. F. Baggett
J. T. Leggett
J. L. Sells
W. A. Hays
W. W. Graves
W. H. Lane
W. H. Lane J. M. Lewis O. S. Lewis
O. S. Lewis
D. E. Vickers
W. W. Murray
W. D. Dominick
L. F. Alford
L. A. Darsey
J. V. Bennett
M. B. Sharbrough
B. E. Meigs

J. L. Greenway
J. L. Greenway H. C. Castles R. H. Clegg
R. H. Clegg
J. H. JOHY
M. W. Porter
A. A. Sims
W. D. Barrett
T. B. Winstead
S. C. Moody
C. P. Jones
J. B. Cain
J. B. Stringer
J. L. Carter
V. G. Clifford
M. A. Massey
C. Y. Higginbotham
V. G. Clifford M. A. Massey C. Y. Higginbotham H. E. Raley L. M. Sharp J. M. Smith A. J. Beasley
L. M. Sharp
J. M. Smith
H. A. Wood
S. B. Watkins
S. F. Harkey
H. B. Perritt I. H. Sells
B. H. Williams
S. W. Johnson
E. D. Simpson
H. G. Hawkins
J. L. Ferguson, Jr.
C C Griffin
C. C. Griffin J. L. Decell
E. K. Means C. A. Bowen A. W. O'Bryant
C. A. Bowen
A. W. O'Bryant
O D Downson

### Undergraduates.

Class of the First Year: C. M. Baggett, R. T. Hollingsworth, A. J. Boyles, B. M. Hunt, Van R. Landrum, G. L. McNeese, D. P. Yeager.

Class of the Second Year: T. C. Cooper, M. L. McCormick, L. J. Snelgrove, W. N. Ware.

### Lay Delegates.

Brookhaven District:
Mrs. H. M. Ellis
J. E. Carruth
Mrs. W. H. Lewis
Mrs. R. E. Bennett
J. S. Decell
J. H. Green

M. R. Jones

Hattiesburg District: W. S. F. Tatum C. W. Holloway John A. McLeod

Jackson District: C. S. Bennett H. O. Middleton O. H. Wingfield I. O. Brown J. A. Lindsey

C. E. Downer

Meridian District:
J. J. Houston
Mrs. R. W. Hare
D. W. Heidelberg
Miss Bessie Hardee
W. D. Hawkins
J. C. Darnell

Newton District P. L. Blackwell W. J. Stokes Mrs. R. H. Clegg

Seashore District D. R. Weston C. B. Gates Vicksburg District

S. W. Sharbrough Mrs. T. B. Cottrell Rolfe Hunt

Secretaries—A. F. Watkins was elected Secretary; G. S. Harmon and Claude P. Jones were elected Assistant Secretaries; John D. Ellis, C. E. Downer and S. F. Harkey were elected Statistical Secretaries; C. F. Emery was elected Railroad Secretary for the Quadrennium.

Bar—The Bar of the Conference was fixed to include the auditorium of the church.

Hours—The hours for meeting and adjourning were fixed at 9 o'clock a.m. to 12:30 o'clock p.m.

Substitutions—The Districts were called for substitutions of Alternate Lay Delegates and upon nomination of the presiding elders the following substitutions were made: In the Meridian District the name of N. D. Chatham in place of C. W. Cochran; in the Seashore District the name of Mrs. H. W. Featherstun in the place of T. S. Ford, and in the Vicksburg District the name of Mrs. Pauline Sharbrough in place of Mrs. Z. D. Clarke.

Gavel Presentation—Miss Clara Mortimer was introduced to the Conference and spoke words of welcome and, on behalf of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Crystal Springs church, presented Bishop Ainsworth with a gavel made from a piece of timber taken from the historic old church building which formerly stood upon the site now occupied by the handsome new edifice, and in which three sessions of the Mississippi Annual Conference were held. The Bishop accepted the gavel with words of gracious appreciation.

The following Standing Committees, nominated by the Presiding Elders, were elected by the Conference:

### CONFERENCE STANDING COMMITTEES.

### State of the Church.

M. B. Sharbrough
C. M. Crossley
W. W. Nelson
H. M. Johnson
J. L. Decell
M. M. Satterfield
W. A. Davenport

T. B. Winstead
C. E. Bennett
J. C. Hardy
C. F. Emery
H. Ogden
Mrs. H. M. Ellis
C. G. Stokes

### Conference Relations.

J. T. Leggett	A. A. Sims
J. F. McClellan	C. A. Schultz
F. B. Ormond	T. H. King
J. H. Grice	

### Sabbath Observance

George H. Thompson	A. Joe Beasley
C. Y. Higginbotham	I. O. Brown
A. M. Broadfoot	O. S. Lewis
John A. McLeod	H. B. Rush
F. L. Applewhite	W. C. Mabry
H. S. Westbrook	John H. Green
Mrs. T. B. Cottrell	Mrs. R. W. Hare

### District Conference Records

J. T. Abney	J. J. Houston
J. H. Jolly	J. S. Decell
M. A. Massey	J. H. Currie
M. K. Miller	T. A. Rawls
W. L. Blackwell	H. V. Waits
H. O. Middleton	J. W. Price
S. W. Sharbrough	J. M. Corley

### Orphans' Home

W. D. Davis	T. M. Ainsworth
Jas. Hand	C. P. Jones
D. R. Weston	J. F. Watson
W. S. F. Tatum	R. H. Clegg
Miss Bessie Hardee	L. L. Roberts
J. A. Lindsey	Rolfe Hunt
R. E. Rutledge	W. H. Jones

### Memoirs

B. F. Jones	L. Carley
H. A. Wood	L. A. Darsey
J. E. J. Ferguson	J. W. Ramsey
J. G. Galloway	

### Admissions

W. H. Huntley	H. L. Norton
W. W. Moore	J. W. Thompson
N. B. Harmon	J. H. Foreman
P. H. Grice	

Hospital Board Authorized—On motion the Presiding Elders were authorized to nominate a Hospital Board, for the Quadrennium, consisting of one preacher and one layman from each presiding elders district.

Communications—Communications were referred, without reading, to their respective Boards and Committees, as follows: Lord's Day Alliance, General Sunday School Board, General Hospital Board, General Board of Finance, Epworth League Board, General Board of Education, Board of Lay Activities, General Board of Church Extension.

**Blackboard**—The Bishop requested that a blackboard be placed at a convenient place upon which notices, telegrams and other matter could be posted, obviating the necessity of a public call.

Question Twenty-One—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" was called, and the following were passed in examination of character: H. M. Ellis, W. W. Graves, M. L. Burton, P. D. Hardin, J. A. Moore, W. M. Sullivan, and J. R. Jones.

The following were passed in examination of character, several of them brought messages of faith, hope and good cheer to the Conference, and their names were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the Superannuate Relation: Ira B. Robertson, W. W. Simmons, R. Bradley, L. Carley, J. T. Nicholson, W. W. Cammack, R. F. Witt, J. W. Brown, G. R. Ellis, G. W. Huff, E. D. Phillips, C. M. Martin, W. D. Dominick, B. H. Rawls, C. T. Noble, J. B. King, I. L. Peebles, C. H. Ellis, and H. B. Perritt.

Bishop Ainsworth addressed words of comfort and cheer to the Veterans of the Cross, "I am Bound for the Promised Land" was sung, and the members of the Conference gathered about the brethren clasping their hands with expressions of love, and prayers for the benedictions of heaven to rest upon them.

The names of T. W. Adams, J. M. Massey, and R. H. Barr were called, it was announced that they had died during the year, and their names were referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

Rev. Arthur J. Moore—Bishop Ainsworth stated that he had invited the Rev. Arthur J. Moore, pastor of the Travis Park Church, San Antonio, Texas, and formerly one of the General Evangelists of the Church, to be present at the Session of the Conference and preach at a suitable time each day. He also announced that Brother Moore would preach the Thanksgiving sermon at the close of the morning Session, after which the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper would be administered.

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Announcements—Announcements and calls for meetings of the various Boards and Committees were made.

Committee on Public Worship—The Committee on Public Worship announced that Rev. Arthur J. Moore would preach at 3 o'clock p. m., and that the Board of Education and the San Ly School Board would hold their Anniversary at 7:30 o clock p. m.

Introductions—Rev. Mark N. Terrell, of Sherman, Texas, one of the General Evangelists; Rev. H. W. Stough, an Evangelist from Chicago; Dr. R. H. Bennett, Department Ministerial Supply and Training; Rev. Percy Vaughan, of the Little Rock Conference; Miss Minnie Kennedy, of the General Sunday School Board; Rev. B. P. Jaco, Centenary Secretary of the North Mississippi Conference; C. O. Chalmers, Publisher of the New Orleans Christian Advocate; President Joe Cook, of the Mississippi State Normal College, Hattiesburg; Dr. E. K. Means, pastor of Galloway Memorial Church, Jackson, transferred last Session from the Louisiana Conference, and Rev. A. J. Leggett, of the Methodist Protestant Church in Mississippi, were introduced to the Conference.

Thanksgiving Service—The Conference listened to a sermon by Rev. Arthur J. Moore from the text found in the Book of Joshua, the twenty-fourth chapter, thirteenth and fourteenth verses.

Sacrament—Bishop Ainsworth, assisted by Mark N. Terrell, E. K. Means, P. D. Hardin and J. R. Jones, administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, which was partaken of by the Conference.

Adjourned—The Conference adjourned with the benediction pronounced by Bishop Ainsworth at the close of the Sacramental service.

### SECOND DAY

Crystal Springs, Mississippi, December 1, 1922.

Opening—The Conference was called to order by Bishop Ainsworth at 9 o'clock a. m.

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Devotions—The Bishop announced Hymn No. 492, which was sung, and W. H. Huntley led the Conference in prayer. Bishop Ainsworth read a Scripture lesson from the fifth chapter of the Second Epistle to the Corinthians, and made a short address felicitating the Conference on the fine spirit so manifest.

Minutes—The Minutes of the First Day's Session were read and approved.

Roll Call—A motion was adopted that the Roll Call consist of calling only the names of the absentees of the previous day, and the following not present at the First Day's Session answered to their names: H. W. Van Hook, W. W. Moore, C. F. Emery, J. E. Willams, J. W. Thompson, D. E. Kelly, A. M. Broadfoot, J. F. McClel-

lan, H. R. McKee, E. H. Cooley, J. T. Weems, J. S. Duke, E. M. Allen, M. K. Miller, J. F. Watson.

### Lay Delegates

Brookhaven District-W. D. Davis.

Hattiesburg District-H. Ogden.

Jackson District-W. H. Bradley, J. M. Bush.

Meridian District-C. G. Stokes.

Newton District-W. C. Mabry, W. A. Davenport, J. H. Currie.

Seashore District-J. C. Hardy, H. B. Rush.

Vicksburg District-M. M. Satterfield.

Roll Call Dispensed With—On motion the calling of the Roll at future Sessions was dispensed with.

Bishop W. B. Beauchamp—Bishop Ainsworth introduced Bishop W. B. Beauchamp to the Conference, and announced that later in the day the Bishop would deliver an address in the interests of the Centenary cause.

The following report was read and adopted:

### Report No. 1 Board of Missions

To the Bishop and members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—We, the Board of Missions, respectfully ask that the following be elected to constitute the Committee on Evangelism of this Board, to-wit: C. C. Evans, G. H. Thompson and W. S. F. Tatum.

M. M. BLACK, President, J. EARLY GRAY, Secretary.

The following report was read and adopted:

# Report—Legal Committee Port Gibson Female College

To the Bishop and members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—Your Committee appointed to investigate the title to Port Gibson Female College and to make an abstract of the title thereof, and later requested to file a bill to confirm the title to said College, beg leave to report that, on account of the serious sickness of one member of the Committee to whom was referred the preparation of the Bill to be filed in the Chancery Court, the Bill has not yet been filed, and we, therefore, request that we be given further time to file said bill, and that \$25.00, or so much as may be necessary, be appropriated towards serving process on the defendants to the suit and for publication of notice to non-resident and unknown defendants.

Respectfully submitted,
D. W. HEIDELBERG.

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Dr. R. P. Wilson—Dr. R. P. Wilson, of the Publishing House, was introduced and represented his work to the Conference.

Special Secretaries—J. G. Galloway and W. T. Griffin were named as "Chalk Secretaries" for charting the reports of the several districts on the blackboard.

The following resolution was read and referred to a special committee composed of one from each Presiding Elders' District:

## Resolution—Methodist Headquarters

The following resolution is hereby respectfully presented by the Methodist Preachers' League of Jackson to the Mississippi Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, meeting in annual session in Crystal Springs, Mississippi, November 30, 1922.

Whereas, there are special agencies ordered by the Conference for the promotion of certain interests of the Church throughout the bounds of the Conference, and,

Whereas, it is thought to be desirable that these agencies should have their quarters in some centrally located point within the Conference and that if practicable there should be some building secured as a domicile for this general headquarters of the various connectional interests; therefore,

Be it resolved that we respectfully memorialize the Mississippi Annual Conference to take such action as may be necessary to secure in the city of Jackson such general headquarters for the various connectional agencies of the Conference.

M. L. BURTON, President,
J. L. FERGUSON, Secretary,
B. F. LEWIS,
H. F. TOLLE,
F. L. APPLEWHITE,
M. M. BLACK,
JOHN C. CHAMBERS,
E. K. MEANS.

The following report of the Seashore Divinity School was read and received:

## Report—Seashore Divinity School

To the Bishop and members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

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Dear Brethren:—We are glad to be able again to report to you a most delightful and helpful session of Seashore Divinity School. While the attendance was not quite up to the average, the spirit of good fellowship and the hearty and universal appreciation of the services rendered by lecturers and faculty made the Fourteenth Session the best of them all. At least, that was the opinion expressed by many in attendance.

Our lecturers were chosen from our own Southern Methodist leaders, and they gave us every reason to be glad. Rev. W. A. Shelton, D.D., of our Emory University, delighted every one by his instructive and eloquent

series of addresses, and won all hearts by his delightful personality. And it is needless to say that our beloved and inimitable Bishop W. A. Candler left on all hearts and lives the impressions for good that will never be effaced.

The work of the Conference Undergraduate Classes, under our faithful Dean, Dr. H. H. McNeill and his Faculty of competent instructors, was at the high water mark in efficiency, and the young men taking the courses of study were greatly helped and delighted. We sincerely believe that every Undergraduate in these three Conferences would be greatly benefited by taking advantage of the opportunities offered by Seashore Divinity School.

The property of Seashore Camp Ground School has now been transferred to the new Board of Trustees elected by the last Annual Conferences, and plans for improved boarding facilities have already been commenced. We therefore expect to have pleasant rooms and ample restaurant for all guests next session, and we ask all to take note of this greatly needed improvement.

We believe that the value of this training School for our Mississippi Conference preachers deserves as liberal an appropriation as the Board of Education can make for it. More of our preachers attend than of the other two conferences combined. Will not the Board of Education see that Five Hundred Dollars in cash is put into this work next session?

We are planning for another session as good, or better, than any before and we earnestly urge all our Presiding Elders and Pastors to make due note, and set apart

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for study, rest and fellowship at Seashore Divinity School.

We nominate for election as Directors, Rev. J. T. Leggett for one year; Rev. H. M. Ellis, for two years, and Dr. I. W. Cooper, for three years.

Respectfully submitted, H. M. ELLIS. President.

Report Referred—The report of the Board of Directors of the Methodist Orphans' Home was read and referred to the Committee on Orphans' Home.

The following report was read and received:

# Report—Editors Conference Journal

Total \_\_\_\_\_\_\$860.48

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By amount paid Tucker Printing House \_\_\_\_\_\$854.02

Balance on hand \_\_\_\_\_\$6.46

Respectfully submitted,

A. F. WATKINS G. S. HARMON. The following report was read and referred to the Board of Education.

## Report of the Committee on the Repeal of the Mortmain Sections of the Constitution

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South:

Dear Brethren: - Your Committee appointed to co-operate with similar committees from other Protestant Churches within the State for the repeal of the Mortmain Sections of the Constitution of the State of Mississippi, beg leave to report that they have throughout the year been attempting to discharge the duties imposed upon them. They have collaborated with representatives of the Baptist and Presbyterian Churches, the Joint Commission being organized with Major Calvin Wells as Chairman, and the Rev. D. M. Nelson, Secretary. An Executive Committee, consisting of Judge O. B. Taylor, Major Wells, and Rev. M. L. Burton, was placed in charge of the work of the Committee and have been diligent in their labors. At the advice of competent attorneys, including Mr. Roberson, the Attorney-General of the State, we decided to take advantage of the provisions of our Constitution known as the Initiative and Referendum. Petitions were circulated for the placing of this Amendment before the people of the State at the State election in November. Extensive publicity was given to the movement and there is every reason to believe that the effort would have been successful and Mississippi saved from the undesirable distinction of being the only State in the Union prohibiting bequests to benevolent institutions under the ownership and control of religious denominations.

A few weeks before the November elections, the Supreme Court had occasion to pass upon the constitutionality of the Initiative and Referendum section referred to and decided that the section was unconstitutional. This decision rendered void all past legislation under the section rendered futile the efforts that we were making at time to secure the ends in view. It is the unanimous conviction of the members of the Joint Commission that the fight for the repeal of the section should now be carried to the Legislature which will meet in January, 1924, and we shall ask the co-operation of the Protestant Churches throughout the State to use all proper influence with candidates for the Legislature to secure favorable action upon the bill to be introduced. We recommend the continuance of the Committee.

In the course of the business during the year it was necessary for us to provide our part of the funds required for the carrying on of the campaign, and we are advised by the Executive Committee that there is an indebtedness of approximately \$275.00, represented by notes given to the Capital National Bank in Jackson by the Committee. We respectfully request the Conference to assume the indebtedness and to instruct the Conference Treasurer to pay the amount necessary out of the proceeds of the Educational assessment for the year 1922.

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Respectfully submitted,

A. F. WATKINS, M. L. BURTON, J. T. LEGGETT. Legal Committee Expense—A motion was adopted that the Conference Treasurer be instructed to pay the item of \$25.00 expense incurred by the Committee investigating the legal status of the Port Gibson Female College property.

Headquarters Committee—The Bishop named the following Committee to function under the resolution suggesting a Methodist Headquarters in the City of Jackson: Brookhaven District, W. H. Lewis; Hattiesburg District, W. S. F. Tatum; Jackson District, H. F. Tolle; Meridian District, J. L. Decell; Newton District, H. J. Moore; Seashore District, M. B. Sharbrough; Vicksburg District, C. C. Evans.

Question Seventeen—"What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected deacons?" was called, and John Carl Jackson, Lemuel John Snelgrove, Martin Luther McCormick, and Thomas Commander Cooper having stood an approved examination on the Course of Study, were elected to Deacon's Orders and advanced to the Class of the Third Year.

None was elected to local deacon's orders.

Question Four—"Who else is in the Class of the Second Year?" was called, and Warren Nathaniel Ware, who stood an approved examination on the Course of Study, but not having met certain Disciplinary requirements, was passed in examination of character and continued in the Class of the Second Year.

Question Three—"Who remain on trial?" was called, and the following having stood an approved examination on the Course of Study, were passed in examination of character and advanced to the Class of the Second Year: Andrew Jackson Boyles, Bruner Marion Hunt, Daniel Parker Yeager, George Leonard McNeese, Enoch Alexander King and William Calvin Monroe Baggett.

Question Five—"Who are discontinued?" was called, and on motion of the Presiding Elder of Jackson District, James W. O'Neil was discontinued.

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Question Two—"Who else is in the Class of the First Year?" was called, and Van R. Landrum, not having stood an approved examination on the Course of Study, was passed in examination of character and continued in the Class of the First Year.

Question Nineteen—"What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected elders?" was called, and John Benja-

min Stringer, having stood an approved examination on the Course of Study, was passed in examination of character and elected to Elders' Orders.

Robert B. McGehee, duly recommended by the Seashore District Conference, was elected to Local Elders' Orders.

Question Sixteen—"Who else is in the class of the fourth year?" was called, and Thomas Marvin Ainsworth, not having stood an approved examination on the Course of Study, was passed in examination of character, and continued in the Class of the Fourth Year.

Question Fifteen—"Who are the deacons of one year?" was called, and John Lovett Carter, Irl Hendrix Sells, and John L. Ferguson, Jr., having stood an approved examination on the Course of Study, were passed in examination of character and advanced to the Class of the Fourth Year.

Question Seven—"Who else is in the class of the third year?" was called, and the following not having stood an approved examination on the Course of Study, were passed in examination of character and continued in the Class of the Third Year.: Stennis Wood Johnson, Bertram Hamilton Williams, L. M. Sharp, M. K. Miller, Otto Porter, E. M. Allen and J. F. Watson.

Dr. Luther E. Todd—Dr. Luther E. Todd, Secretary of the General Board of Finance, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Miss Minnie E. Kennedy—Miss Minnie E. Kennedy, Superintendent of the Department of Elementary Work of the General Sunday School Board, was introduced and addressed the Conference. Bishop Ainsworth added words of exhortation.

Dr. G. L. Moreland—Dr. G. L. Moreland, Secretary of the Board of Lay Activities, was introduced and addressed the Conference.'

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Alternate Lay Delegate Seated—Mrs. Bertie Saxon, Alternate Lay Delegate from the Vicksburg District, was substituted in place of R. E. Sullivan.

Announcements—Announcements and calls for the meetings of various Boards and Committees were made.

# Report No. 2 Committee on Public Worship

The Committee on Public Worship announced that the Rev. Ar-

thur J. Moore would preach this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and that this evening at 7:30 o'clock the anniversary of the Board of Missions would be held, at which time addresses would be delivered by Bishop Beauchamp and Rev. C. G. Hounshell.

Class to be Received—Bishop Ainsworth announced that the class for full connection into the Annual Conference would be received at 11 o'clock on Saturday morning.

Introductions—Rev. C. G. Hounshell, Educational Secretary of the General Board of Missions; Mrs. Alma G. Riley, Field Secretary of the Orphans' Home; Rev. J. P. Harrington, pastor of the Crystal Springs Baptist Church; Reverends E. H. Cunningham, R. P. Neblett, C. M. Chapman, and W. C. Galceran, of the North Mississippi Annual Conference, were introduced to the Conference.

The Centenary Interests—Bishop Ainsworth announced that the remaining time of the session would be devoted to the consideration of the Centenary, a matter vital to the welfare of the Church, and introduced Mr. W. D. Hawkins, Conference Centenary Secretary-Treasurer, who made a report of the year's work.

Bishop W. B. Beauchamp, who before his election as Bishop was Director General of the Centenary Movement and now having Episcopal oversight of the important field in Central Europe, addressed the Conference. Bishop Ainsworth also spoke.

**Adjourned**—The doxology was sung and the Conference adjourned with the benediction pronounced by Bishop Beauchamp.

### THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION

Crystal Springs, Mississippi, December 2, 1922.

Opening—The Conference met at 9 o'clock a.m., Bishop Ainsworth presiding.

**Devotions**—The Bishop announced Hymn No. 489, which was sung; Psalm 46 was read alternately, and J. M. Morse led the Conference in prayer.

Minutes—The Minutes of the Second Day's Session were read and approved.

Question Twenty-One—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" was called. The reports of the preachers of the Jackson District were presented on the blackboard, interpreted by the Presiding Elder, their names were called one by one and they were passed in examination of character, as follows: H. M. Johnson, W. J. Dawson, H. A. Gatlin, B. W. Lewis, B. F. Jones, W. D. Barrett, J. H. Foreman, A. A. Sims, H. F. Tolle, E. K. Means, F. L. Applewhite, G. P. McKeown, J. O. Ware, C. E. Downer, W. L. Blackwell, W. J. Ferguson, A. F. Watkins, C. A. Bowen, M. M. Black, R. T. Hollingsworth, J. M. Morse, J. C. Chambers, B. F. Lewis, J. L. Sutton and J. L. Neill.

Question Ten—"Who are received from other churches as traveling preachers?" was called. Albert Jackson Leggett, in Elders' Orders, having signified his willingness to assume the vows of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, without the re-imposition of hands, was received from Methodist Protestant Church.

Question Twenty-One—was resumed. The reports of the preachers of the Vicksburg District were presented on the blackboard, information given by the Presiding Elder, their names were called one by one and they were passed in examination of character, as follows: C. A. Schultz, V. G. Clifford, C. F. Emery, J. L. Smith, C. Y. Higginbotham, C. C. Evans, C. H. Herring, J. B. Cain, N. B. Harmon, T. J. O'Neil, T. A. Ferguson, W. B. Alsworth, Robert Selby, T. B. Cottrell and J. G. Galloway.

Question One—"Who are admitted on trial?" was called, and the following, duly recommended by their several District Conferences, and having stood an approved examination on the Course of Study, and having been approved by the Committee on Admissions, were admitted on Trial: Charles Warren Wesley, from the Jackson District; Emmett Jackson Rutledge, from the Greenwood District, North Mississippi Annual Conference, and Rolfe Hunt, from the Vicksburg District.

Obed Burch Matheny, and Harvey Judson Oakley, duly recommended by the Meridian District Conference, and Nicholas Smuts Loftus, duly recommended by the Vicksburg District Conference, having stood an approved examination on the Course of Study, but not fully up to the educational standard required by the Discipline, and recommended by the Committee on Admissions, were, by more than a two-thirds vote of the Conference, admitted on Trial.

The following report was read and received:

Report—Committee on Lambuth Monument

Your committee appointed to effect the removal to the Campus of Millsaps College of the Lambuth monument, located at Pearl River Church on the Madison Charge, decided that the method of procedure was to secure formal approval of the proposition for removal by the quarterly Conference of the Madison Charge; accordingly our committee met with the First Quarterly Conference of the charge and learned that the members of the Quarterly Conference did not favor removal at the present time. Therefore, the Committee took no further action.

H. G. HAWKINS, G. P. McKEOWN.

Report Referred—The report of the Trustees of the Port Gibson Female College was referred, without reading, to the Board of Education.

Telegram of Sympathy—On motion the Secretary of the Conference was requested to send a telegram of sympathy to the Hon. J. S. Sexton, an honored layman of Hazlehurst, whose brother, Dr. Luther Sexton, himself a member of the Methodist Church, died yesterday in New Orleans, and who is to be buried today at Hazlehurst. The telegram was sent as follows:

Hon. J. S. Sexton,

Hazlehurst, Miss.

The Mississippi Conference earnestly gives assurance of deepest sympathy in the death of your distinguished brother.

A. F. WATKINS, Secretary.

Question Twenty-One—was resumed. The reports of the preachers of the Meridian District were presented from the blackboard, information was given by the Presiding Elder, their names were called one by one and they were passed in examination of charac-

ter, as follows: W. E. Dickens, M. L. White, R. E. Rutledge, W. G. Forsyth, W. H. Lane, J. L. Decell, J. L. Sells, L. E. Alford, A. J. Davis, W. A. Hays, D. E. Vickers, A. J. Beasley, J. D. Ellis, T. H. King, W. H. Huntley, H. A. Wood, M. A. Massey.

Rev. Crawford Jackson—Rev. Crawford Jackson, connected with the Juvenile Protective Association of Atlanta, Ga., was introduced and spoke concerning that organization.

**Prof. Will Jacobs**—Prof. Will Jacobs, Superintendent of the Mississippi Industrial and Training School, located at Columbia, was introduced and addressed the Conference relative to the work of that great Institution.

Conference at Jackson—Bishop Ainsworth announced that a great Conference on Home Missions and Evangelism would be held at Jackson, Miss., on January 16th, and 17th, 1923, and urged a large attendance. He stated that many of the outstanding leaders in the religious world would be there, and that an attendance was desired of all the preachers and at least five laymen from every charge with less than five hundred members and ten laymen from charges with more than five hundred members. The information was also given that a central committee was arranging for accommodations at reasonable rates for rooms for all who would attend.

The Bishop also urged that the Conference through the Board of Missions provide for at least three Evangelists for rural work.

A motion to support the Bishop in all the plans outlined was adopted by a rising vote.

The following report was read and referred to the Commission on Finance.

## Report No. 2 Board of Missions

To the Bishop and members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—We, the Board of Missions would report that we have heard with interest the report of the work done through the Memorial Home as presented by Rev. W. C. Childress and recommended that the sum of \$5,000.00 be assessed for the same for 1923.

Respectfully submitted.

M. M. BLACK, Pres. J. EARLY GRAY, Sec.

The following report was read and received:

Report—Trustees Methodist Hospital

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference in Annual Session at Crystal Springs, Mississippi, November 30, 1922.

Dear Brethren.—We, your Board of Trustees of the Methodist Hospital of the Mississippi Annual Conference respectfully submit the following report:

1st:—The affairs of the Hospital have been so admirably handled that it has not been necessary for your Board of Trustees to meet except semi-annually on July 11, 1922 to transact such business as came before them and to authorize the Executive Committee to carry out such instructions as your Board of Trustees deemed it wise to order.

2nd:—We have had a very successful year and as shown by the report below we have cared for eight hundred and seven patients during the year ending November 1, 1922 which is one hundred and forty-seven patients in excess of the preceding year and you will note further that not-withstanding the increase of patients the expense of operating the Hospital is \$3,665.54 less than for the preceding year.

3rd:—The collections on Campaign Subscriptions have not been satisfactory and we feel that the Methodists within the bounds of the Mississippi Annual Conference are losing a great opportunity to do a wonderful work in the way of furnishing Hospital service to the many hundreds who are suffering with various diseases within the bounds of the Mississippi Annual Conference.

4th:—Referring to the sixth paragraph of the report of the Board of Trustees to the Mississippi Annual Conference in session at Jackson, Miss. December, 1921, authorizing your Board of Trustees to issue bonds for the erection of a new Hospital provided the Board of Trustees may deem it wise to do so and can market the bonds bearing 6% interest at par, the bonds to run for a period of ten years or longer." We would respectfully report that no bonds have been issued although we feel that some action should be taken immediately looking to the building of a new Hospital or improving the property now under our control.

5th:—We recommend the re-election of the following trustees:
W. S. F. Tatum
Dr. I. W. Cooper
Rev. W. H. Saunders

whose terms expire at the session of the Annual Conference 1922.

We also recommend the election of D. R. Weston, to take the place of M. S. Enochs, whose term expires the session of the Annual Conference 1922.

#### ANNUAL REPORT

During the year November 1, 1921 to November 1, 1922 the Hospital has cared for eight hundred and seven house patients, also hundreds of patients for outside treatment.

#### Financial

Gross Earnings Nov. 1, 1921 to Nov. 1, 1922	
Earnings Uncollected	\$ 2,630.34
Expense of operating Hospital	\$28,630.44
Leaving Gross Profits, not allowing for int. or extended repairs	
Cash on hand	

#### CAMPAIGN ACCOUNT

Balance cash on hand Nov. 26, 1921Amount Collected on Campaign Subscriptions	
Cash on hand Nov. 1, 1922	
Subscriptions due from Chamber of Commerce approximately	
LIABILITIES	
Accounts payable Nov. 1, 1922	\$ 4.038.36
T. E. Ross and J. J. Bethea—Notes	• •
4% interest payable July 30	
J. J. Bethea note due April 1924	
6% interest payable annually due April 1922	60.00
	\$42,538.36
RESOURCES	Ψ- <b>2</b> ,000.00
Our Equity in Hospital Property	
Accounts receivable largely uncollectable approximately	\$16,661.91
Campaign Subscriptions uncollected approximately	
Subscriptions due from Chamber of Commerce approximately	
By comparing with our report of December 1921 you have—	,
Patients cared for 1921 660	
Patients cared for 1922 807	
Gain of 147 Patients admitted.	
Gross earnings for 1921	\$38.882.95
Gross earnings for 1922	
Earnings Collected 1921	
Earnings Collected 1922	
Expense of operating 1921	
Expense of operating 1922	
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Showing a reduction in operating expense for the year ending November 1, 1922 of \$3, 665.54, although we cared for one hundred and forty-seven more patients in 1922 than for the preceding year.

We recommend the appointment of W. B. Jones as commissioner or Field Agent for the Hospital.

We note with pleasure the action of our last General Conference at Hot Springs, Ark., in the appointment of a Hospital Board.

Respectfully submitted,
W. S. F. TATUM,
Chairman Board of Trustees
J. T. LEGGETT,
Secretary.

Hospital Aid Offered—W. S. F. Tatum, an honored layman, and Mayor of the City of Hattiesburg, stated that he and Mrs. Tatum would gladly care for, at the Methodist Hospital, Hattiesburg, children between the ages of eight and eighteen years, who were

suffering with curable diseases, and financially unable to secure Hospital treatment.

On motion a rising vote of thanks was tendered Brother and Sister Tatum for their large hearted liberality toward sick and needy children.

Conference Hospital Board—On nomination of the Presiding Elders the following Hospital Board was elected for the Quadrennium: I. W. Cooper, T. E. Enochs, C. A. Schultz, S. W. Sharbrough, H. J. Moore, W. A. Davenport, W. S. F. Tatum, James Hand, H. A. Wood, Dr. H. F. Tatum, Dr. W. A. Dearman, W. L. Blackwell, Dr. H. R. Shands, B. F. Jones.

Song by Whitworth Students—A delightful feature of the Session just at this time was the rendition of a vocal selection by a quartette of young ladies from Whitworth College, with violin accompaniment.

Question Six—"Who are admitted into full connection?" was called, and John Carl Jackson, Lemuel John Snelgrove, Martin Luther McCormick, and Thomas Commander Cooper were called to the Bar of the Conference, charged by the Bishop, and, having answered the Disciplinary questions were, by vote of the Conference, admitted into full connection.

Afternoon Session—A motion was adopted that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Leave of Absence—Upon request leave of absence was granted to W. S. F. Tatum.

Announcements—Announcements and calls for meetings of various boards and committees were made.

# Report No. 3-Committee on Public Worship

The Committee on Public Worship announced that Rev. Arthur J. Moore would preach this evening at 7 o'clock, and made the following announcements for services on Sunday, December 4th:

Methodist Church—9:30 a. m., love feast, led by M. B. Sharbrough; 11:00 a. m., preaching by Bishop William N. Ainsworth, followed by the ordination of deacons; 3:00 p. m., Memorial Session; 7 p. m., preaching by Arthur J. Moore, followed by the ordination of elders.

Baptist Church—11 a. m., preaching by Mark N. Terrell; 7 p. m., preaching by J. L. Decell.

Presbyterian Church—11:00 a. m., preaching by E. K. Means; 7 p. m., preaching by C. M. Crossley.

New Zion Methodist Episcopal Church, colored—11:00 a. m., preaching by J. G. Galloway; 7 p. m., preaching by W. J. Ferguson.

Baptist Church, Gallman-7 p. m., preaching by J. S. Purcell.

Methodist Church, Hazlehurst—11:00 a.m., preaching by Crawford Jackson.

Introductions—Rev. H. T. Carley, D.D., of the Louisiana Conference and Editor of the New Orleans Christian Advocate; Rev. J. E. Stephens, of the North Mississippi Conference, and a member of the faculty of the Grenada College; Rev. R. E. Simpson, of the North Arkansas Conference; Prof. D. S. Hogg, President of Port Gibson Female College; Rev. L. H. Estes, of the Memphis Conference, representing the General Hospital Board; Rev. J. R. Countiss, of the North Mississippi Conference, and President of Grenada College, and Mrs. Gayle C. Beanland, daughter of our W. M. Williams, a missionary of the Presbyterian Church in Africa, were introduced to the Conference.

Adjourned—The Conference adjourned with the benediction pronounced by Dr. H. T. Carley.

## THIRD DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

Crystal Springs, Mississippi, December 2, 1922.

Opening—Conference met at 3 o'clock p. m., Bishop Ainsworth in the Chair.

**Devotions**—Hymn No. 317 was sung, and Dr. J. R. Countiss led the Conference in prayer.

Minutes—The Minutes of the Morning Session were read and approved.

Absentees—W. H. Saunders, J. W. Brown, J. H. Grice and J. L. Sutton, not having previously answered to their names, were noted as present.

Question Twenty-One—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" was called. The reports of the preachers of the Hattiesburg District were made on the blackboard,

represented by the Presiding Elder, their names were called one by one, and they were passed in examination of character, as follows: M. W. Porter, J. M. Lewis, R. T. Pickett, J. T. Leggett, C. M. Crossley, J. E. Williams, J. H. Jolly, J. W. Thompson, J. L. Greenway, J. C. Ellis, C. C. Griffin, S. C. Moody, H. R. McKee, W. M. Williams, A. W. O'Bryant, H. S. Westbrook, P. H. Howse, H. Mellard, H. J. Maddox, A. S. Byrd, D. E. Kelly.

The reports of the preachers of the Seashore District were made on the blackboard, represented by the Presiding Elder, their names were called one by one and they were passed in examination of character, as follows: H. W. Featherstun, M. B. Sharbrough, W. J. Walters, E. J. Coker, L. A. Darsey, L. L. Roberts, W. L. Linfield, H. C. Castles, E. L. Alford, J. M. Corley, J. E. Gray, J. H. Grice, B. E. Meigs, J. H. Moore, A. M. Broadfoot, D. W. Ulmer, W. W. Moore, J. F. Campbell, H. W. Van Hook and G. S. Harmon.

Names Referred—At their own request, the names of H. W. Featherstun and J. C. Ellis were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the Superannuate Relation.

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report—Committee on Methodist Headquarters

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—W.c. your committee, appointed to consider the Memorial of the Jackson Preachers' Association; requesting the location of "Methodist Headquarters" at Jackson, beg leave to submit the following report:

- (1) We concur in the general idea of providing joint offices at Jackson for the Connectional Boards of our Conference viz: Missions, Education, Church Extension, S. S. Board, Epworth League, Lay Activities, Joint Board of Finance and any other Conference Board of Committee desiring to co-operate.
- (2) We recommend that there be a "Headquarters Committee" composed of the Chairman of each Board or Committee, desiring to co-operate.
- (3) That said committee shall have full power to secure the offices, equipped with necessary incidentals and employ a secretary.
- (4) That the Boards or Committees participating determine for themselves their prorata share of the expense to be incurred.
- (5) We respectfully recommend that the Boards and Committees consider this matter at this session of the Conference.

W. H. LEWIS, Chairman, J. LOYD DECELL, Secretary. Question Eight—"Who are re-admitted?" was called. The answer was. None.

Question Forty-Two—"Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?" was called. Yazoo City and Gulfport were placed in nomination, and Gulfport was selected.

Book Hour—Bishop Ainsworth announced that he had inaugurated a new feature for the Conference—a "Book Hour". He stated that he had requested certain brethren to prepare a review—or "cut the heart"—of books of their own selection and discuss them before the Conference. A. F. Watkins reviewed "Christus Comprobator," by Bishop J. C. Ellicott; N. B. Harmon discussed "The Scriptures—God's Living Oracles": he also called attention to William Jennings Bryan's "In His Image," and Dr. Robert Dick Wilson's "Studies in the Book of Daniel" C. A. Bowen reviewed "Ambassadors of God," by Dr. S. Parkes Cadman. J. T. Leggett was to have reviewed a volume, but was absent from the Conference floor attending an important Committee meeting. Bishop Ainsworth emphasized the importance of studying and reading on the part of the preachers and advised all to read again during the year Arthur's "Tongue of Fire".

Board of Missions and Evangelists—The Board of Missions made a verbal report that provision had been made for one of the evangelists requested by the Bishop, but did not think it expedient to provide for three.

A motion was adopted that it is the sense of the Conference that the Board should make provision for three rural evangelists in line with the program outlined by the Bishop.

Rev. L. H. Estes—The Rev. L. H. Estes, of the Memphis Conference, addressed the Conference in the interests of the work of the General Hospital Board, with special reference to the organization of "Golden Cross" societies.

Names Referred—Under the call of Question Twenty-One, the name of W. W. Hopper was called. It was announced that he had died during the year and his name was referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

The name of W. B. Waldrop was called and referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the Supernumerary Relation.

Memorial Session—A motion was adopted that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet in Memorial Session on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The following Quadrennial Boards and Committees, nominated by the Presiding Elders, were elected by the Conference.

## Quadrennial Boards and Committees

#### **Examining Committees**

On Trial-C. P. Jones, T. J. O'Neil, C. A. Bowen.

First Year-H. J. Moore, H. M. Johnson, J. M. Lewis.

Second Year-W. A. Hays, J. T. Weems, J. H. Moore.

Third Year-W. H. Saunders, H. W. Featherstun, A. J. Beasley.

Fourth Year-H. Mellard, Victor G. Clifford, O. S. Lewis.

#### Commission on Budget

W. T. Denman	Henry Hilbun
J. A. Lindsey	T. H. King
J. T. Leggett	W. T. Griffin
C. B. Gates	G. W. Holloway
T. J. O'Neil	W. J. Ferguson

#### **Board of Missions**

W. H. Saunders	C. M. Crossley
V. D. Youngblood	M. M. Black
A. M. Broadfoot	G. L. Harrell
H. B. Rush	C. C. Evans
T. B. Winstead	W. A. Price
P. L. Blackwell	C. W. Cochran
W. S. F. Tatum	J. L. Sells

#### Board of Finance

W. B. Alsworth	S. M. Jones
Hugh Junkin	R. E. Rutledge
G. H. Thompson	D. W. Heidelberg
S. E. Moreton	L. L. Roberts
H. Mellard	D. R. Weston
H. Ogden	J. M. Moise
J. F. McClellan	J. C. Wooa

#### Board of Education

O. S. Lewis	M. M. Satterfield
B Z. Welch	Joe Cook
Robert Selby	J. J. Houston
W. M. Buie	E. L. Alford
L. E. Alford	H. L. Norton
A S. McClendon	E. K. Means
W. D. Davis	J. L. Greenway

#### Board of Church Extension

E. D. Simpson
S. D. McMullen
C. S. Bennett
E. H. Cooley
J. D. Ellis
A. R. Artz
H. A. Gatlin

### Sunday School Board

A. B. Campbell
R. H. Clegg
M. L. White
T. B. Cottrell
J. L. Carter
J. R. Baynes
Dr. W. P. Davis

### Epworth League Board

J. L. Decell
W. W. Buie
R. C. Peebles
J. B. Cain
J. F. Campbell
W. D. Hawkins
W. A. Terry

### American Bible Society Board

R. E. Bennett
P. H. Howse
W. H. Jones
D. E. Vickers
J. L. Ash
H. M. Johnson
Dr. G. C. Terrell

### Temperance and Social Service Board

C. Y. Higginbotham	H. V. Waits
J. T. Jackson	W. W. Moore
A. J. Davis	J. E. Williams
O. S. Hopkins	W. W. Nelson
N. D. Chatham	H. O. Middleton
J. W. Sharbrough	J. S. Purcell
W. J. Dawson	J. H. Grice

### **Board of Christian Literature**

W. F. Baggett	H. G. Hawkins
J. M. Bush	W. G. Forsyth
S. F. Harkey	Lynn Barrier
H. C. Castles	B. W. Lewis
W. H. Lane	W. U. Corley
H. H. Goza	M. B. Sharbrough
J. W. Thompson	C. F. Emery

### Board of Lay Activities

## J. M. Sullivan, Conference Lay Leader

### District Lay Leaders:

Brookhaven—J. E. Carruth, Summit, Miss.
Hattiesburg—K. T. Moore, Hattiesburg, Miss.
Jackson-O. H. Wingfield, Jackson, Miss.
Meridian-S. M. Graham, Meridian, Miss.
Newton-W. A. Davenport, Forest, Miss.
Seashore-Col. R. B. McGehee, Gulfport, Miss.
Vicksburg-M. M. Satterfield. Port Gibson, Mis

#### Committee on Admissions

H. L. Norton	W. E. Dickens
T. T. Leggett	N. B. Harmon
.T M. Corley	P. H. Grice
J. H. Foreman	

Adjourned—Announcements were made, the doxology was sung, and the Conference adjourned with the benediction pronounced by J. L. Decell.

### FOURTH DAY—MEMORIAL SESSION

Crystal Springs, Mississippi, December 3, 1922.

Memorial Session—The Conference met in Memorial Session at 3 o'clock p. m., W. J. Ferguson, presiding. Hymn No. 19 was sung, and W. J. Ferguson led the Conference in prayer. Hymn No. 538 was sung and W. J. Ferguson read the 90th Psalm as a Scripture lesson.

Question Fourteen—"What preachers have died during year?" was called. The report of the Committee on Memoirs announced that R. H. Barr, J. M. Massey, W. W. Hopper and T. W. Adams had died.

The short sketch of J. M. Massey was inserted in the Journal in lieu of a more formal memoir which the Committee was unable to obtain.

The memoir of T. W. Adams was read by I. W. Cooper.

J. A. Wells and W. W. Nelson sang "Does Jesus Care".

The memoir of R. H. Barr was read by George H. Thompson.

A quartette composed of B. W., J. M., and O. S. Lewis and J. S. Duke rendered a vocal selection, "When the Mists Have Rolled Away."

The memoir of W. W. Hopper was read by H. A. Wood.

By special request O. S. Lewis sang "Crossing the Bar."

Affectionate tribute was paid to the memory of the departed brethren by W. J. Ferguson, J. E. Gray, H. M. Ellis, H. G. Hawkins, J. A. Moore, G. S. Harmon, J. V. Bennett, M. B. Sharbrough and J. C. Chambers.

By special request J. A. Wells and W. W. Nelson sang "Saved By Grace."

The report of the Committee on Memoirs was adopted by a rising vote.

On motion the Conference adjourned to meet at 8:30 o'clock Monday morning. The benediction was pronounced by M. L. Burton.

### FIFTH DAY

Crystal Springs, Mississippi, December 4, 1922.

**Opening**—The Conference was called to order at 9 o'clock a. m., Bishop Ainsworth in the Chair.

**Devotions**—Hymn 349 was sung, Psalm 23 was read in concert, and B. F. Lewis led the Conference in prayer.

Minutes—The Minutes of the Third Day, Afternoon Session, and of the Fourth Day, Memorial Session, were read and approved.

Question Eighteen—"What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained deacons?" was called, and answered by the following certificate:

### Certificate of Ordination of Deacons.

I, William N. Ainsworth, one of the Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, hereby certify that on Sunday morning, December 3, 1922, in the Methodist Church at Crystal Springs, Mississippi, I ordained deacons as follows:

Traveling Preachers, John Carl Jackson, Lemuel John Snelgrove, Martin Luther McCormick and Thomas Commander Cooper. Local Preachers: None.

### WILLIAM N. AINSWORTH.

Question Twenty—"What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained elders?" was called, and answered by the following certificate:

### Certificate of Ordination of Elders

I, William N. Ainsworth, one of the Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, hereby certify that on Sunday evening, December 3, 1922, in the Methodist Church at Crystal Springs, Mississippi, assisted by Reverends J. R. Jones, N. B. Harmon, and H. A. Gatlin, I ordained as an elder, James Benjamin Stringer, a traveling preacher. At the same time Albert Jackson Leggett, an elder from the Methodist Protestant Church, assumed the vows of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, without the re-imposition of hands.

Local preachers: None.

#### WILLIAM N. AINSWORTH.

Question Nine—"Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?" was called. The Bishop announced the name of Percy Vaughan, an elder, from the Little Rock Conference.

Question Thirteen—"Who are transferred to other Conferences?" was called. The Bishop announced the names of R. T. Pickett, an elder, to the Louisiana Conference; R. T. Hollingsworth, in the Class of the First Year, to the North Mississippi Conference, and J. W. Chisholm, an elder, to the West Texas Conference.

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report—Committee on Conference Relations

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—After carefully considering the cases referred to us we recommend the following for the Superannuate Relation: Ira B. Robertson, R. Bradley, W. W. Simmons, L. Carley, W. W. Cammack, J. T. Nicholson, R. F. Witt, J. W. Brown, G. R. Ellis, G. W. Huff, C. M. Martin, E. D. Phillips, W. D. Dominick, C. T. Noble, J. B. King, B. H. Rawls, C. H. Ellis, I. L. Peebles, H. B. Perritt, H. W. Featherstun, and J. C. Ellis.

We recommend the following for the Supernumerary Relation: W. B. Waldrop.

J. T. LEGGETT,
Chairman.
J. F. McCLELLAN,
Secretary.

Question Twenty-Three—"Who are Superannuated?" was called, and answered in the report of the Committee on Conference Relations.

Question Twenty-Two—"Who are Supernumerary?" was called, and answered in the report of the Committee on Conference Relations.

Question Twenty-One—"Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" was called. The reports of the preachers of the Newton District were made on the blackboard, represented by the Presiding Elder, their names were called one by one, and they were passed in examination of character, as follows: E. H. Cooley, T. B. Winstead, S. E. Flurry, C. H. Strait, R. A. Sibley, J. W. Chisholm, H. J. Moore, G. G. Yeager, J. F. McClellan, S. N. Young, O. S. Lewis, L. F. Alford, J. W. Ramsey, H. G. Hawkins, J. S. Purcell, R. H. Clegg, M. R. Jones, P. H. Grice, S. F. Harkey, J. W. Price, J. S. Duke, J. M. Smith.

Question Eleven—"Who are located?" was called. At his own request, J. S. Duke was granted an honorable location.

Question Twenty-One—was resumed. The names of the preachers of the Brookhaven District were called, their reports were made

on the blackboard, represented by the Presiding Elder, and they were passed in examination of character, as follows: W. W. Nelson, S. B. Watkins, J. T. Weems, W. H. Lewis, W. B. Jones, H. L. Norton, W. W. Murray, J. T. Abney, W. H. Saunders, C. P. Jones, G. H. Thompson, J. A. Wells, A. S. Oliver, W. F. Baggett, R. A. Allums, H. E. Raley, E. D. Simpson, J. L. Carter, W. A. Terry, F. B. Ormond, J. E. J. Ferguson, I. W. Cooper, J. V. Bennett, W. T. Griffin, and W. N. Thomas.

Reports Discussed—Bishop Ainsworth gave a resume of the reports as made from each District, and addressed the Conference relative to a systematic program for the work of the coming year.

Question Twelve—"Who have withdrawn or been expelled?" was called, and it was announced that M. N. Hildebrand had withdrawn from the ministry and membership of the Church. By yote the Conference confirmed the withdrawal.

Question Forty-One—"Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report of the Board of Lay Activities?" was called. J. M. Sullivan was elected Conference Lay Leader, and the following report of the Board on Lay Activities was read and adopted:

## Report—Board of Lay Activities.

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—In compliance with the instructions of our Discipline your Lay Leader begs to submit the following report for the Board of Lay Activities.

It is with profound gratitude to God that we note an unprecedented response of our men to the appeals of the Gospel and an appreciation of the opportunities offered by the church for spiritual development and Christian service. While we recognize the greatness of the achievements of other denominational bodies, we rejoice with religious pride in the glorious history of our beloved Methodism, and the results with which God has so wonderfully blessed the plans and labors of those who have devoted themselves to the work of our great church. There has been an awakening particularly with reference to attendance on Bible classes, the habit of prayer, and personal evangelism. Just at this time there seems to be a very great opportunity for progress and achievement in the hearty co-operation of preachers and laymen in putting into execution the splendid plans and provisions for Lay Activities as set forth in chapter 20 of our Discipline and in the Manual of Lay Activities recently issued under the authority of the General Board of Lay Activities.

In view of the action of our last General Conference in providing a more definite and enlarged scope of work for the lay members of the church, we should be stirred to a deeper sense of responsibility and more willing de-

votion of time, effort and material resources to the affairs and progress of the Kingdom of God.

To the presiding elders and pastors we would make an earnest appeal for the wisdom and inspiration of your leadership and council and your willing co-operation in putting into effect all the provisions of chapter 20 of the Discipline.

We note with emphasis that the Presiding Elder is now a member of his District Board of Lay Activities and that each pastor is a member of his Church or Circuit Board and that the work of these Boards co-ordinated and correlated with every other Board of the Church, and that it is the prescribed duty of these Boards of Lay Activities "to consider, promote and execute plans for larger activities of laymen in all the work of the Annual Conference and to co-operate with all other Conference Boards in executing their plans for larger service in the work of the Church." It is our desire to aid the ministry.

In promoting evangelism, especially in providing services for congregations who would otherwise be without service on the Sabbath, and new territory to be cultivated.

In emphasizing the importance of the family altar and the public prayer meeting.

In aiding in all the work of the Sunday School.

In educating our people to the importance and necessity for more adequate provision for the support of the ministry.

In administering the business affairs of the Church with definite determination that the collection of every assessment in every church should be brought to one hundred percent and our efforts directed enthusiastically to that end.

In the offer of our services through the proper committees to see that the amounts pledged during the Centenary and Sducational Campaigns are collected in full, as well as counting it a sacred privilege to aid in every way possible to secure the full amount assigned for the support of our beloved superannuates. May we not with one voice proclaim "These movements shall not pass out of our program, except in glorious completion."

In encouraging stewardship and the practice of tithing as the guarantee of achievements and blessings.

In promoting the circulation of our Conference and General Organs.

In supporting our educational institutions.

In carrying out plans for larger social service.

We would urge that each District, Charge and Church Leader observe diligently the requirement that a report be made quarterly of the work being done, and it is desirable that every leader and preacher make it convenient, as soon as possible, to read carefully the entire Manual of Lay Activities.

A meeting of the Conference Board was held early in the year, and it is necessary that such a meeting be held as soon as possible after the session of this Conference and at such time that the Presiding Elders may be present. We would urge the attendance of as many laymen as possible on the great Conference to be held in Jackson on January 16th and 17th, and the Triennnial Conference to be held at Lake Junaluska, North Carolina, on August 10th to 15th, 1923.

Realizing that many of the demands and plans for our work cannot be executed or realized without some financial provision for correspondence, visitation, and group consultation and deliberation, your Board of Lay Activities requests that this Annual Conference, in accord with the action of other Conferences already held, appropriate the amount of \$1,000.00 for the use of Conference and District Lay Leaders in the carrying on of their work.

Brethren, whether we are at the dawn of a new day, as some express it, or not, we are certainly facing the greatest responsibilities of our lives, are in a position to see as never before the needs of the Gospel of Jesus Christ, and that the fields are white unto harvest while the laborers are not sufficient, funds are inadequate and the consecrated zeal of the laymen is not commensurate with the largeness of the work to which we are called.

Let us not waste time seeking and advertising the faults and imperfections of our brethren and institutions, but, while neither blind nor indifferent to views and measures that are unsound and unsafe, let us cultivate the habit of recognizing and expressing our appreciation of the effective qualities and true worth of our brethren of the ministry and fellow lay members, as well as the great institutions of the church. It is of the utmost importance that we discountenance and discourage a spirit of personal criticism and that we demonstrate to our brethren of the ministry that we are in love and charity with our brethren and anxious to participate in a co-operative, intelligent and zealous spirit, in all the enterprises of the church, and count it a glorious privilege to be called on by our pastors for such participation in the evangelization of the world.

We commend the practice of daily prayer and Bible study with an undisturbed adherence to the faith of our fathers. Your Board has considered the declaration of our General Conference of 1922 in regard to the doctrinal standards of the church and we heartily agree that our standards of Doctrine are "amply set forth in our Articles of Religion and in the Apostle's Creed.

We also wish to endorse the splendid resolutions from the General Board of Lay Activities adopted at their meeting in August, 1922, as follows:

"The Bible should be the basis of all religious teachings and no book or literature of any kind which discredits or is in conflict therewith should be used in our Sunday Schools, Church schools, or other Church organizations.

"We have the assurance that 'All Scripture is by inspiration,' and no

part thereof should be subtracted from, added to, supplanted or modified to conform to the mere opinions or thoughts of men.

"'Man cannot by reasoning find out God."

"The Bible is the true Science of Life and the key that unlocks its mysteries is FAITH."

Respectfully submitted.

J. M. SULLIVAN, Conference Lay Leader.

Request for Publication of Report—A motion was adopted that the Editor of the New Orleans Christian Advocate be requested to publish the report of the Board on Lay Activities in the Advocate.

Editor Advocate Introduced—Rev. H. T. Carley, D. D., Editor of the New Orleans Christian Advocate addressed the Conference relative to the Advocate.

J. T. Leggett in the Chair—The Bishop asked the Presiding Elders to meet him in an adjoining room and requested J. T. Leggett to take the Chair.

The following report was read. O. S. Lewis emphasized the worth of the tracts published by the Board of Managers of Tracts and Christian Literature. The report was adopted:

## Report—Board of Christian Literature.

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—We, your Board of Christian Literature submit the following report:

We feel that the time has come for increased activity in getting our people to read Christian Literature and therefore urge our pastors as early in the year as possible, to press the claims of our Conference and General Organs and the Missionary Voice.

On account of the enlarged program and increased activities in all departments of our great church, we feel our people should be better informed.

We commend the editors and publishers of the Nashville Christian Advocate, the New Orleans Christian Advocate, the Missionary Voice, The Epworth Era, the Methodist Quarterly Review and our Sunday School Literature for their most excellent work during the past year and pledge our support and co-operation.

We call attention to the work of the Board of Managers of Tracts and Evangelical literature and urge upon our pastors the importance of using this literature among their people. Other denominations are flooding the country with such literature and through this agency are unsettling many of our people.

Brethren, let us make the most of our opportunities along this line

In order that the New Orleans Christian Advocate might be more widely circulated we recommend that efforts be made to reduce the price of the paper.

We recommend the election of Revs. J. T. Leggett, W. H. Saunders and E. K. Means, as members of the Publishing Committee of the New Orleans Christian Advocate.

We are glad to note that the financial situation of the New Orleans Advocate is better than a year ago.

We recommend the acceptance of the same assessment—viz., \$1,308.00 for the New Orleans Christian Advocate.

J. S. PURCELL. S. F. HARKEY. E. H. COOLEY. O. S. LEWIS.

The following resolution was offered but was not adopted.

### Resolution—Location of Centenary Pledges

Whereas, it is vitally important that the full amount of the Centenary Pledge be paid promptly and in full, and, whereas, we believe that the present method of collecting the individual pledge, in the case of a transfer of membership, is measurably unsuccessful and tends to delay payment; therefore be it resolved by the Mississippi Annual Conference held at Crystal Springs, Dec. 2, 1922, that we recommend to the Centenary Commission that they adopt a rule whereby a transfer of membership from a charge will carry with such removal any unpaid balance of said pledge and the charge sustaining such loss shall be credited with the amount of the unpaid pledge and the charge gaining membership shall be charged with amount of same.

H. MELLARD W. W. GRAVES. H. G. HAWKINS. W. M. SULLIVAN. L. L. ROBERTS:

The following report was read and adopted:

### Report No. 1 Board of Education

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—Your Board of Education finds the following information concerning your institutions of learning gathered from the reports of them referred to it by the Conference. This information is very gratifying and encouraging.

#### Millsaps.

Millsaps College began its thirty-first session on the 15th of September 1922, with the largest college enrollment in the history of the institution. With the close of last year the total matriculation was 309 college students and 80 preparatory students. The usual enrollment of the law school if this department had been continued, would have carried us well beyond 400 as a total matriculation. This session the College opens with about

320 college students to date. The average increase after the first two months justifies us in the expectation of going beyond 350.

At the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees last June the preparatory department was discontinued, the judgment of the Board being that the time had come for the concentration of the full force of the institution upon students who were prepared to enter the college classes proper. This step had been in contemplation for some time and was but the logical development to be seen in all cases of growing A grade colleges when the matriculation in the college classes has made it necessary to use all available dormitory space for this section of the student body.

The increase in the number of freshmen last session and this session has made it necessary to subdivide into a number of sections some of the classes, and as a result it has been necessary to increase the faculty. An assistant professor has been given to Dr. Sullivan in the Department of Chemistry, while Professor G. W. Huddleston, long and favorably known as a member of the faculty of the Preparatory School, has been elected Associate Professor of Latin. The Freshman History class, numbering 205, made it necessary to employ an assistant in History and we are fortunate in securing the services of Mr. Francis S. Harmon, a Bachelor and Master of Arts from the University of Virginia, and a graduate in law from Harvard University.

The Department of Religious Education was strengthened by the election of Professor John Lambuth Ferguson, an A. B. and B. D. graduate of Emory University, and a student for one term each in the University of Edinburg and the University of Chicago, provision for both professors in this department having been made by the generous gift of Brother W. S. F. Tatum of Hattiesburg. In Religious Education the entire Freshman and Sophomore classes are required to take two hours each in the study of the Bible, while more advanced classes among the students are offered as elective in the teacher training and other branches of Christian Education and the commendable activities of the Young Men's Christian Association, The Young Women's Christian Association, the Preachers' League, and the Student Volunteer Association. These are giving additional emphasis to Bible study, Christian culture, and training for practical Christian work. It is our desire and expectation during the winter to conduct a series of revival services among the students.

There are in attendance this session thirty three young preachers and twenty-eight sons and daughters of preachers.

The buildings and grounds are more attractive and in better order than they have been heretofore, except that the Library, and in a lesser degree the Science Hall, are showing some weakness in their foundations.

#### Whitworth College.

President Cooper reports as follows:

In all respects, Whitworth College is having one of the most successful sessions in its history. The enrollment, to date, including pupils taught by special teachers, is 290. Before the close of the session, the registration

bids fair to exceed that of any previous session. Our officers and teachers number twenty-six. The health of the student body has been excellent.

#### Seashore Campground School.

This School has been chartered as the joint property of the Mississippi, Louisiana and Alabama Conference and has been put into possession of that magnificent property known as the Seashore Campground, a frontage on the Gulf of Mexico of 1400 feet, and is worth at least \$144,000.00.

There is one provision in this charter so strikingly commendable that your Board feels constrained to recite in this connection. It is to the effect that "nothing shall be practiced, taught or inculcated that is antagonistic to the tenets, principles and truths of the Christian Religion as accepted, taught and ennuciated by the Methodist Episcopal Church South."

Plans for extensive new buildings have been made and the outlook for the school was never so promising as it is now.

The uncertain conditions which prevailed at the opening of the term affected somewhat the present matriculation, nevertheless there are thirty-seven boarding pupils and thirty-three local pupils.

#### Mississippi Conference Training School.

At the last session of this Conference there was passed a resolution directing the trustees of this school to re-open, if practical. On January 25, 1922, there came an opinion from the Attorney General's office, to the effect that an arrangement might be made by which the public school at Montrose could be blended with this school. So George T. Neill was elected President and Miss Eunice Alexander as High School teacher.

After two years of suspension, the school opened on September the 5th, 1922.

There are 56 pupils. Eleven of these are boarding pupils, one studying for the ministry. The Pastor of the Montrose charge is teacher of the Bible.

### Seashore Divinity School.

We are glad to be able again to report a most delightful and helpful session of Seashore Divinity School. While the attendance was not quite up to the average, the spirit of good fellowship and the hearty and universal appreciation of the services rendered by lecturers and faculty made the Fourteenth Session the best of them all. Such was the opinion expressed by many in attendance.

The lecturers were chosen from our own Southern Methodist leaders. Rev. W. A. Shelton, D.D., of our Emory University, delighted every one by his instructive and eloquent addresses and won all hearts by his delightful personality. Bishop W. A. Candler left on all hearts and lives impressions for good that will never be effaced.

The work of the Conference Undergraduate Classes, under the Dean, Dr. H. H. McNeil and his Faculty of instructors, was at the high water mark in efficiency and the young men taking the courses of study were greatly helped and delighted. We believe that every Undergraduate in

these three Conferences would be greatly benefited by taking advantage of the opportunities offered by Seashore Divinity School.

#### Port Gibson Female College.

The College is being run this year strictly as a Junior College for girls. It admits no boys either as day or boarding pupils. We meet every requirement for a Junior College as prescribed by the Board of Education of the Church.

The session of the College just opened gives promise of fair success. The enrollment to date this session is 59 which is larger than last year. The college girls this year are very co-operative with the spirit of Christian Education. Every girl is a Christian and an active member of the church.

Port Gibson Female College has a splendid field for patronage extending far to the South, South-west, West and North. If this field is properly worked and the cause of Christian Education properly placed before the people there is no reason why the school may not be filled to its capacity with girls who really desire a Christian Education.

INMAN W. COOPER,
Chairman,
H. WALTER FEATHERSTUN,
Secretary.

The following report was read:

### Report No. 2 Board of Education

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—We have been asked by the General Board of Education to adopt the following:

- 1. Pledge the Conference to the hearty and earnest support of the plans of the General Conference Board of Education in carrying on the Christian Education Movement.
- 2. Pledge the Conference to hearty co-operation with the General Conference Board of Education in prosecuting in your Conference the work of Religious Education, and specially in developing "a complete program of moral and religious training in the primary, grammar, and high school grades of the public schools, and in providing for optional courses in religious and moral subjects to be offered in the colleges and universities of the State."
- 3. Appoint a representative of the Board of Education of your Conference as a member of the Methodist Educational Association for the current year and provide funds for his traveling expenses to the annual meeting of the Association. This representative may or may not be your Conference Secretary of Education.
- 4. Recommend a suitable person to be appointed by the bishop as Secretary of Education for your Conference.

Your Board asks that you adopt these suggestions, and we name Rev. J. M. Morse as Conference Secretary of Education, asking that this recommendation be ratified by the Conference and that the appointment be made by the Bishop; that Brother Morse be appointed to represent our Conference in the Methodist Educational Association as set forth in item 3 above.

The last General Conference committed the Church to an advanced position relative to Religious Education. A new paragraph was added to the Discipline, a part of which is as follows:

"The General Conference Board of Education shall seek, in closest possible co-operation with the Annual Conference Boards of Education, to promote religious education in the homes of the people, in the institutions of the Church, in tax-supported and independent institutions, including public schools. \* \* \* "

At its recent session, the General Conference Board of Education took the following significant action:

"Resolved, That this Board of Education places upon record its deliberate and positive conviction that moral and religious instruction should be given in every department of the public school system of our country—primary, grammar, and high school grades, colleges and universities; such instruction to be given without cost to the State, if necessary, in the lower grades, and to be offered as optional courses in colleges and universities; such optional courses, when completed, to be given equal credit with other courses, of equal intellectual and cultural value."

The Board further authorized the development of "a definite program for moral and religious training in the primary, grammar, and high school grades of our public schools." The General Conference further provided that the office of the General Board shall serve "as a medium of communication between Directors of Religious Education desiring positions and Churches which need their services."

Your Conference Board of Education, in considering the communication from the General Conference Board of Education, think that the new paragraph of the Discipline and the resolution of the General Conference Board of Education should receive especial attention, both of which point out the necessity of religious instruction in every department of the public school system of our country—primary, grammar and high school grades, colleges and universities.

Your Conference Board of Education at the last session of this conference urged that pastoral care be provided for Methodist Colleges and the State Colleges of the State and that the preachers of this Conference make surveys of the public schools within their charges and, as far as practicable, find out that percentage of the public school teachers are active Christians, and what the children in the public schools are thinking, especially of Christ.

Dr. R. H. Bennett, in his address to this Conference, made a strong plea for the Methodist Colleges and Universities and urged us not only to contribute to their support, but to study their work and to help them by constructive criticism.

Your Board concurs fully in these ideas and feels that the most helpful

thing the church can do is to try to have the students we send to College to arrive at the College religiously sound.

Therefore, believing that it is impracticable for the church to undertake a system of primary, grammar and high schools in opposition to the present tax-supported system, we urge upon our preachers and laymen the necessity of making strenuous efforts to keep our public schools religiously sound.

We further urge our Methodist people, both lay and clergy, to co-operate with all other Christian people and keep our public schools religiously sound both in teaching personnel and in text books.

#### Endowment for Whitworth.

In view of the decision of the Educational Commission appointed by the General Conference that no college would be recognized after 1924, without an endowment of \$250,000.00, we recommend that this Conference take such action as may be necessary to secure an endowment of \$250,000.00 for Whitworth College. We further pledge the help of this Board to the Board of Trustees in such plans as they may make to get the matter before the people.

#### Bonds to Help the Camp Ground School.

The Trustees of the Camp Ground School ask that this Conference join with the other patronizing conferences in consenting to issuing of bonds to run for twenty years to the amount of \$40,000.00 with which to make necessary improvements. Your Board recommends that the request be granted.

#### Confirmations.

Trustees for Camp Ground School: H. M. Ellis for one year, I. W. Cooper for one year, J. T. Leggett for two years, W. T. Bolton for two years, H. S. Weston for three years and B. Z. Welch for three years.

Directors of the Divinity School: J. T. Leggett for one year, H. M. Ellis for two years and I. W. Cooper for three years.

Montrose charge: P. L. Blackwell, J. T. Gammage, W. C. Lamb, C. F. Neill, F. H. McLaurin, R. W. Lightsey, T. J. O'Neill, J. N. Ware, M. L. Burton, James W. Abney, J. S. Purcell, C. H. Strait, and W. J. Stokes.

We request the Bishop to appoint as presidents: Millsaps College, A. F. Watkins Whitworth College, I. W. Cooper Seashore Camp Ground School, H. W. Van Hook.

#### Appropriations.

Millsaps College	\$5,000.00
Whitworth College	
Port Gibson Female College	
Seashore Camp Ground School	2,500.00
Divinity School	500.00
Mississippi Conference Training	800.00
Expense Account	400.00

Port Gibson Female College asks that this Conference endorse her application to the General Board of Education for an appropriation of \$1,000.00. Your Board joins in this request.

We ask the appointment of M. M. Black as Commissioner for Millsaps College.

I. W. COOPER, Chairman,

H. WALTER FEATHERSTUN, Sec.

Report of W. M. Buie, Treasurer—Mississippi Conference Educational Fund. To the Board of Education, Mississippi Conference:

Gentlemen:—I beg leave to make report of all monies received by me as Treasurer of the Board of Education, and distribution of same:

#### RECEIPTS

Received of W. D. Davis, Conference Treasurer.....\$8,713.07

### DISBURSEMENTS

Millsaps College	\$3428.85
Whitworth College	
Port Gibson Female College	007 -0
Seashore Camp Ground School	342.88
Divinity School	342.88
Traveling Expenses Executive Committee Meeting	33.83
Mortmain Legislation Expenses, etc	450.00

\$8,713.07

#### Respectfully submitted,

W. M. BUIE,

Treasurer Mississippi Conference Educational Fund.

Dec. 2nd, 1922.

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Balance on hand \_\_\_\_\_\_\$912.01

#### Respectfully submitted,

W. M. BUIE,

Treasurer Mississippi Conference Vocational Fund.

Dec. 2nd, 1922.

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Receipts this year	***************************************	763.92
Total Carrier of Contract		. 00.0
	\$1	1,505.57
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Dishursement	g•	

Balance on hand to Credit of this Fund ......\$1,050.59

Respectfully submitted,

W. M. BUIE.

Dec. 2nd, 1922. Treasurer Cooper Ministerial Efficiency Fund.

Educational Statistics-Mississippi Annual Conference, Nov. 30 to Dec. 4, 1922

•			Value of	En-
Name of Institution	Teachers	Students	Property	dowment
Millsaps College	17	389	\$345,373	\$600,000
Whitworth College	27	290	300,000	*************
Port Gibson Female College	8	59	55,000	
Seashore Camp Ground School	6	*70	144,000	***************************************
Miss. Conf. Training School	4	56	8,000	
	62	864	\$852,373	\$600,000

Pending the adoption of the report A. F. Watkins, President of Millsaps College, addressed the Conference.

The Chair—The Bishop resumed the Chair.

I. W. Cooper, President of Whitworth College, addressed the Conference.

An amendment was adopted substituting the name of H. M. Ellis for that of E. Leslie Alford as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Seashore Camp Ground property.

The report, as amended, was adopted.

### Report Conference Secretary Education

The following amounts were received on the Educational Fund up to the meeting of the Annual Conference:

Brookhaven\$	63,593.55
Hattiesburg	75,115.05
Jackson	29,248.55
Meridian	8,818.80
Newton	3,431.20
Seashore	14,601.95
Vicksburg	16,597.60
Total\$2	11,406.70

Respectfully

J. M. MORSE, Conference Secretary of Education.

Increased Assessments Advocated By Laymen—The Bishop stated that all criticism regarding increased assessments should be hushed when it is known that the Laymen of the General Conference at Hot Springs advocated the increase, and he further stated that there should always be advance movements.

The following report was read and adopted:

# Report No. 3 Board of Missions

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference.

Dear Brethren:—We your Board beg leave to report that it is the judgment of this Board that the following plan is not the best, but yielding

to the expressed wishes of the Conference, we appropriate the sum of \$3,200.00, to be used in the employment of three Conference Missionary Evangelists, and that the foregoing sum be drawn from the Centenary reserve fund.

M. M. BLACK, President, J. EARLY GRAY, Secretary.

The following report was read and adopted:

### Report No. 4 Board of Missions

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren: - Your Board of Missions begs leave to report as follows:

We have received and read the communication from the Secretary of the General Board of Missions, which tells us of unprecedented successes which have attended our activities in all our fields, both at home and abroad.

We note with pleasure the great awakening throughout our fields of labor, evidenced by the great in-gathering of souls.

The information coming to us from our Foreign as well as in our Home land is to the effect that our religion is forcing its influence upon the attention, in a most vital way, the nations of the earth.

The presence of Dr. C. G. Hounshell and Bishop W. B. Beauchamp has been a means of great blessing to the entire Conference, bringing burning messages and reporting the wonderful achievements in our Foreign field.

We most heartily endorse the work of Mr. W. D. Hawkins, our Missionary Secretary, and rejoice that he has held our Conference well to the front in the collection of Centenary subscriptions. We have unanimously elected Mr. Hawkins as Missionary Secretary for the ensuing year.

We report that on our regular assessments for Conference Missions we have collected this year \$7,561.26, which is about 65 per cent of our total assessment.

We are glad to report that the employment of Charles Asaf as a missionary to the Syrians within our Conference has proven a wise investment and we have employed him to continue the work.

The Committee on Evangelism reports successful work done by the Conference Evangelists. We nominate D. E. Kelley, J. V. Bennett, W. T. Griffin, G. S. Harmon and J. M. Smith for reappointment and Rolfe Hunt for appointment on Conference Evangelists.

We recommend the appointment of Rev. John L. Sutton as Superintendent of the Mississippi Children's Home-finding Society, located at Jackson, Miss.

We most heartily commend the splendid work of J. L. Neill as Superintendent of our Mission School of Prague in Czecho-Slovakia and we recommend his reappointment to that work.

We heartily recommend J. M. Smith to the General Committee on Evangelism as a General Evangelist.

M. M. BLACK, President.
J. EARLY GRAY, Secretary.

Message to J. L. Neill—A motion was adopted that the Secretary of the Conference be requested to convey to J. L. Neill, superintendent of our work in Czecho-Slovakia and a member of this Conference, affectionate greetings and to assure him of the prayers and good will of the Conference in the ripe field of opportunity in which he is laboring.

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report of the Board of Finance

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—Your Board of Finance offers the following as their report:

We have received for distribution to claimants on assessments this year the neat sum of \$14,393.34 From Lamar & Barton, Agents of the Publishing House 731.40 Which makes a total of \$15,124.74

Rev. H. W. Featherstun, Rev. J. C. Ellis and Mrs. Dora B. Hopper have become beneficiaries of the Board. Four of our claimants have passed away. Rev. T. W. Adams, J. M. Massey, Mrs.. W. W. Morse and Rev. R. H. Barr

The apportionment for the year 1923 is as follows:

Mrs. M. F. Adams	\$200.00
Mrs. C. G. Andrews	
Mrs. Martin Bell	25.00
Rev J. W. Brown	440.00
Mrs. W. G. Backus	275.00
Mrs. L. C. Bradford	200.00
Rev. R. Bradley	440.00
Rev. W. W. Cammack	440.00
Rev. L. Carley	440.00
Mrs. Mat Calhoun	135.00
Mrs. C. D. Cecil	200.00
Mrs. L. D. Chambers	220.00
Rev. W. D. Dominick	440.00
Mrs. Clara Drake	135.00
Rev. C. H. Ellis	440.00
Mrs. J. A. Ellis	135.00
Rev. J. C. Ellis	440.00
Mrs. J. W. Ellison	135.00
Mrs. J. H. Evans	225.00
Rev. G. R. Ellis	330.00
Rev. H. W. Featherstun	440.00
Mrs. E. A. Flowers	100.00
Mrs. G. M. Gilmore	110.00
Mrs. Geo. H. Galloway	200.00
Mrs. Dora B. Hopper	150.00
Mrs. W. W. Hurst	135.00

Rev. G. W. Huff	
Mrs. T. B. Holloman	250.00
Mrs. G. M. Gillmore	
Mrs. E. W. Lipscomb	
Mrs. W. B. Lewis	240.00
Mrs. H. P. Lewis	150.00
Rev. C. M. Martin	242.00
Mrs. B. S. Rayner	135.00
Rev. I. B. Robertson	440.00
Mrs. L. P. Meador.	135.00
Mrs. T. L. Mellen	170.00
Mrs. Josie Newsome	110.00
Rev. J. T. Nicholson.	440.00
Mrs. R. D. Norsworthy	200.00
Mrs. C. A. Powell.	275.00
Rev. E. D. Phillips	300.00
Rev. I. L. Peebles	440.00
Rev. B. H. Rawls	200.00
Mrs. J. A. B. Jones	
Mrs. J. W. Sandell	126.50
Mrs. H. R. Singleton	135.00
Rev. W. W. Simmons	440.00
Mrs. H. B. Travillian	150.00
Mrs. R. S. Woodward	170.00
Mrs. J. N. Ware	135.00
Mrs. R. M. Williams	
Rev. R. F. Witt	
Mrs. L. J. Jones	165.00
Rev. J. B. King	600.00
Rev. C. T. Noble	400.00
Mrs. H. B. Watkins	300.00
Mrs. M. E. Hawkins	
Rev. H. B. Perritt	

There is no increase in the assessment for 1923. The amount of assessment being \$20,000.00—as for 1922—your Board would emphasize the necessity of early collections for this worthy cause.

Your Board received a request from the General Board at St. Louis to advance the sum of \$442.00 to be used in advertising the special effort for raising the General Superannuate Endowment Fund, which amount is to be refunded your Board, which request was granted.

Respectfully,
J. M. MORSE, President.
H. MELLARD, Asst. Secretary.

## Report of Treasurer.

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

I hereby submit my report as treasurer of the Board of Finance of the Mississippi Conference:

Received from W. D. Davis,	Treasurer	 	\$14,393.34
Lamar & Barton, Agents	,i	 	731.40
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Amount paid to the Different Claimants:

Amount paid to the Different Claimants:		
Name of Claimant Address		
Rev. T. W. Adams, Brookhaven, Miss41	\$ 32.75	\$ 440.00
Mrs. M. F. Adams, Lumberton, Miss 6	3.19	200.00
Mrs. Martin Bell, Midnight, Miss 5	2.66	25.00
Rev. J. W. Brown, Springfield, La22	17.57	440.00
Mrs. W. G. Backus, Biloxi, Miss., 236 Porter Ave19	10.10	275.00
Mrs. L. C. Bradford, Jackson, Miss., 108 Poindexter 8	4.25	200.00
Rev. R. Bradley, Louisville, Miss., Box 28140	31.96	440.00
Rev. W. W. Cammack, Fayette, Miss28	22.37	440.00
Rev. L. Carley, Ellisville, Miss42	33.55	440.00
Mrs. Matt Calhoun, Jackson, Ala. 916 Georgia St11	5.85	135.00
Mrs. C. D. Cecil, Los Angeles, Calif16	8.51	200.00
Mrs. L. D. Chambers, Hattiesburg, Miss., Rebecca		
Ave29	15.42	220.00
Rev. W. D. Dominick, Gulfport, Miss., 652 E. Beach St. 36	28.76	440.00
Mrs. Clara Drake, Church Hill, Miss25	13.30	135.00
Mrs. J. A. Ellis, New Orleans, La., 1727 Napoleon Ave. 9	4.79	135.00
Mrs. F. T. Ellison, Jackson, Miss., N. West St23	12.23	135.00
Rev. G. R. Ellis, Seminary, Miss.	14.38	330.00
Mrs. E. A. Flowers, Darrington, Miss 1	.53	100.00
Mrs. G. M. Gilmore, Columbia, Miss., Box 52615	7.99	110.00
Mrs. Geo. H. Galloway, McComb City, Miss27	14.36	200.00
Mrs. W. W. Hurst, Vicksburg, Miss., R. F. D. 2	4.25	135.00
Rev. G. W. Huff, Biloxi, Miss., R. F. D. 2	15.18	440.00
Mrs. T. B. Holloman, Ittabena, Miss33	17.55	250.00
Mrs. E. W. Lipscomb, Meridiam, Miss 4	2.12	110.00
Mrs. W. B. Lewis, Jackson, Miss., Broad St48	25.53	240.00
Mrs. H. P. Lewis, Jackson, Miss., N. West St12	6.39	150.00
Rev. C. M. Martin, Meridian, Miss., 15th St14	11.18	242.00
Mrs. B. S. Rayner, Columbia, Ga., 3235 Third Ave29	15.42	135.00
Rev. I. B. Robertson, McNair, Miss45	35.95	440.00
Mrs. L. P. Meador, Rawls Springs, Miss27	14.36	135.00
Rev. C. H. Ellis, Camden, Miss30	30.36	440.00
Mrs. W. W. Morse, Tylertown, Miss.		275.00
Mrs. T. L. Mellen, Ardmore, Okla., 1511 W. Cherokee		
Avenue25	13.30	170.00
Mrs. Josie Newsome, Tylertown, Miss 2	1.06	110.00
Rev. J. T. Nicholson, Laurel, Miss24	19.17	440.00
Mrs. R. D. Norsworthy, Meridian, Miss., Eighth St38	20.21	200.00
Mrs. C. A. Powell, Hattiesburg, Miss., Laurel Ave32	17.02	250.00
Phillips Children, Meridian, Miss., 1200 Sixth St		200.00
Rev. E. D. Phillips, McNeil, Miss25	19.97	231.00
Rev. I. L. Peebles, Meridian, Miss., Thirteenth Ave37	29.56	440.00
Rev. B. H. Rawls, Moselle, Miss., R. F. D., 1 Box 2528	22.37	200.00
Mrs. J. A. B. Jones		
Mrs. J. W. Sandell, Magnolia, Miss 6	3.19	126.50
Mrs. H. R. Singleton, New Orleans, La., 1575 N. Broad 31	16.49	135.00
Rev. W. W. Simmons, Gloster, Miss32	25.56	440.00
Mrs. H. B. Trevillian, Columbia, Miss11	5.85	135.00

Mrs. R. S. Woodward, Yazoo City, Miss35	18.62	170.00
Mrs. J. N. Ware, Georgetown, Miss22	11.70	135.00
Mrs. F. M. Williams, Oak Ridge, Miss54	28.72	
Rev. R. F. Witt, Meridian, Miss33	26.36	440.00
Mrs. L. J. Jones, Hattiesburg, Miss23	12.23	165.00
Rev. J. B. King, Auburn, Miss15	11.98	600.00
Rev. C. T. Noble, Carriere, Miss 9	7.19	400.00
Mrs. H. B. Watkins, Jackson, Miss18	9.58	300.00
Mrs. M. E. Hawkins, Hattiesburg, Miss27	14.36	100.00
Rev. H. B. Perritt, Wesson, Miss16	12.78	440.00
Total	\$822.06	\$13,779.50

The expenses of the Board for the current year were \$258.52.

The Board has on hand a balance of \$7,273.10 which they will turn over to the New Board.

The Calvin Memorial Fund did not pay us anything.

Respectfully submitted,

W. E. MORSE, Treasurer

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report of Commission on Finance

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference.

Dear Brethren:-Your Commission on Finance reports as follows:

After carefully considering all requests made by the several Boards of the Conference, we recommend an assessment of \$72,474 for Conference Work

There has been assessed on our Conference for General Work, the sum of \$53,215.

These assessments we have distributed to the several Districts as follows:

G	eneral	Conference
	Work.	Work.
Brookhaven District	8,512	\$11,970
Hattiesburg District	7,464	9,772
Jackson District	8,451	11,175
Meridian District	7,741	9,877
Newton District	7,209	9,600
Seashore District	7,419	10,500
Vicksburg District	6,419	9,580
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	53,215	\$72,474

The assessment for Conference Work is apportioned as follows:

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Pe	er Cent.	Amount.
Board of Finance	.3035	\$22,000
Conference Missions	.1800	13,000
Memorial Home	.0690	5,000
Education	.2096	15,200
Sunday Schools	1034	7.500

Epworth Leagues	.0164	1,200
Church Extension		4,924
Editorial Support	.0179	1,300
Printing Minutes		1,200
Lay Activities		1,000
Treasurer's Expense	.0021	150
	1.0000	\$72,474
The assessment for General Work is apportio	ned as follows:	
	Per Cent.	Amount.
Foreign Missions	.2911	\$15,490
Home Missions	.1133	6,030
Negro Work		1,536
Church Extension		4,924
Education	.0540	2,874
Theological Schools	.0385	2,048

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We thank Brother W. D. Davis for his efficient work as Conference Treasurer during the quadrennium which is now closing, and respectfully request that he be elected to the office of Conference Treasurer for another quadrennium.

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. BURTON, Chairman.

T. J. O'NEIL, Secretary.

The following report was read and received:

Superannuate Fund

## Report Conference Treasurer

Report of W. D. Davis, Treasurer, Mississippi Annual Conference for the Conference Year 1922.

## General Work

#### Receipts

District.		Amount
Brookhaven	\$	5,369.00
Hattiesburg		4,483.00
Jackson		6,083.23
Meridian	,	4.259.10
Newton		2,977.07

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Seashore		4,875.75
Vicksburg		
Total Receipts		
Disbursemen		
Foreign Missions		\$11,321.31
Home Missions		3,667.48
Church Extension		6.059.32
Education		1,753.99
Theological Schools		1,435.11
Negro Work		1,036.47
Superannuate Fund		318.91
Epworth Leagues		398.62
Sunday Schools		1,753.99
Bishop's Fund		2,551.29
General Conference Expense		637.82
The second of th		956.74
Bible Cause		
Total		\$31,891.05
Conference Wo	ork	
Receipts		A
· District.		Amount.
Brookhaven		
Hattiesburg		· ·
Jackson		
Meridian		
Newton		
Seashore		,
Vicksburg		4,528.80
Total		\$38,072.79
Disbursement		
Board of Finance	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	\$14,402.95
Conference Missions	(.1986)	7,561.26
Education	•	8.642.50
Sunday Schools		3,601.66
Epworth Leagues		574.87
Superannuate Endowment Fund	(.0360)	1,370.64
Editorial Support	(.0248)	944.20
Printing Minutes		864.27
Expense Conference Treasurer	(.0029)	110.44
Total		\$38,072.79
Respectfully s	ubmitted,	
	W. D. DAVIS, T	reasurer.
Statement of the Expense Account of W. I		, Mississippl
Annual Conference, For the Con	nference Year 1922.	
Receipts		
Dec. 3, 1921 Balance on hand		
Nov. 1, 1922 Received from Annual Confere		
Dec. 2, 1922 Pro Rata balance of Annual C	onference Fund	92.94
		\$192.87

	Disbursements
1921	
Dec. 8	Paid J. L. Godbold, Agent, premium on surety bond
	Fidelity & Deposit Co \$ 70.00
1922	
Jan. 17	Telephone bill during Conference 3.45
Feb. 11	Princip Princip October Soon,
	circular letters and cards
Mch. 22	Postage
	Lincoln County Times, printing letter heads 6.00
	Postage
Oct. 7	Lincoln County Times, 500 printed Envelopes 5.00
	\$106.70—\$106.70
Nov. 14	Postage
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Dec. 2, 1	922 To balance on hand \$ 81.17
	Respectfully submitted,
	W. D. DAVIS,
	Conference Treasurer.
Th	e following report was read and adopted:
	Report Trustees Conference Endowment Fund
To the	Nomborg of the Mississippi Annual Conference.

To the Members of the Mississins Annual Conference	
To the Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:	forence To
Dear Brethren:—We, the Trustees of the Mississippi C	onierence En-
dowment Fund, respectfully submit the following report:	400 114 00
Amount invested in notes and bonds	
Amount of cash on hand	849.35
Total cash assets	28,963.35
Total cash assets last year	
Increase in funds during the year	1.075.31
Total real estate holdings	
Grand total	\$29,663.35
Bequests, Gifts and Memorials.	
Van Houten Bequest	\$1,000.00
P. A. Johnston Bequest	500.00
Henderson Bequest	500.00
E. H. Easterling Bequest	500.00
Miss Sallie Ramaine Gift	1,600.00
R. B. Downer Gift (real estate)	1.000.00
C. D. Cecil Memorial	1,000.00
G. T. Vickers Memorial	1,000.00
Mounger Farve Adams Memorial	500.00
W. M. Thornton Memorial	1,000.00
H. P. Lewis Memorial	1,000.00
Bishop Chas. B. Galloway Memorial	7,600.00

It will be noticed that while there has been an increase in the cash assets there has been a decrease in the grand total. This is caused by the sale of the R. B. Downer Home for which we realized but \$800.00, because of depreciation in real estate values, while it has been valued at \$2,000.00.

Respectfully submitted, J. M. MORSE, Chairman W. E. MORSE, Secretary.

The following report was read:

## Report -Board of Church Extension

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—Your Board of Church Extension begs leave to submit the following report:

This report brings us to the close of the present Quadrennium. Our chief progress during these four years has been made in increasing our Conference Loan Fund, which has grown from \$4,550.00 in 1918 to \$8,150.00 at the close of 1922.

The receipts from assessments has not been as large during this quadrennium as they were during the preceding one, probably due to the payment on Centenary Pledges.

#### Applications.

We have had before us applications from sixteen churches and four parsonages, asking aid in donations to the amount of \$5,000.00 and in loans to the amount of \$1,650.00.

We had for donation purposes only \$2,729.66 and for loans \$2,145.00. After careful and prayerful consideration of all the applications before us we have made the following grants at this Conference:

Churches		
Name	Donati	on Loan.
Osyka	\$200.00	\$500.00
Laurel, West End	200.00	
Pearl Chapel		200.00
Refuge		
Harrisville	200.00	
Briggs Chapel	100.00	
Kate Fields Memorial	250.00	
Harperville	300.00	
East End, Meridian 2nd Installment	360.00	
DeSoto	200.00	
Back Bay, Biloxi	100.00	
Crystal Springs, a special	200.00	(Refund)
Braxton	125.00	

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Loans-

Bayou I	Pierre	 200.00
Clevelan	nd	 450.00

We recommend the placing of a special of \$225.00 on each Presiding Elder's District during the next three years for the Washington City Church and that the Board for next Quadrennium elect a man to visit the District Conference and raise said sum.

#### Columbus Special.

Two years ago this Board promised \$1,250.00 toward the building of an adequate church at Columbus, Miss. Said sum to be paid in five annual installments of \$250.00. The first installment was paid in full and \$108.00 this year.

We recommend that the new Board elect a man to raise this special from the Organized Bible Classes or Sunday Schools of the Conference during the next three years.

#### Architecture and Insurance.

We would urge all our Pastors and Building Committees to confer with Dr. Baylor, of Louisville, Ky., relative to church plans, before undertaking any new building. Also we would call your attention to the fact that the Church Extension Board will be prepared to insure church property after the 1st of January, 1923.

The amount paid on the pledge of \$5,000.00 to the Washington City Church by the Conference during the ten years past has been \$1,116.23 leaving a balance due on that pledge of \$3,883.77. Paid \$100.00 this year.

Our Conference Loan Fund now stands as follows:

Kingston Laurel	\$ 600.00
Camden	250.00
Laurel, West End	294.00
Pleasant Hill	600.00
Lucedale	1,000.00
Anguilla, Kate Fields Memorial	750.00
Forest Hill	300.00
Hickory	1,200.00

The New Board has met and organized and elected Rev. H. A. Gatlin to look after the raising of the Washington City Special and Rev. A. S. Oliver to raise the special for the Columbus Church.

Respectfully submitted,

W. M. WILLIAMS, Chairman, L. E. ALFORD, Secretary.

Pending the adoption of the report W. M. Williams urged the payment of the assessment which the Conference assumed several years ago for the Representative Church in Washington City.

The report was adopted.

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report of the Sunday School Board

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference.

Dear Brethren:—Your Sunday School Board is glad to report to you that the past year has been the most successful of the quadrennium. Our efficient Secretaries, Rev. John C. Chambers and Brother O. C. Hull, have been indefatigable in labor. New Sunday Schools have been organized, standards of efficiency attained, circuit institutes held, standard Teacher Training Schools for local churches, District and Conference conducted, large numbers of credits given. Many of our Sunday School pupils have joined the church on profession of faith and large numbers have pledged themselves for definite Christian service.

We do not feel it would be fair to our faithful Field Secretary, nor would it be just to the Conference not to place before you a summary of the work of this Board during the past quadrennium.

During this period of time our Secretaries have visited 718 different Sunday Schools and addressed nearly one hundred thirty thousand persons. Eight meetings for negroes have been held. One hundred and four Schools have been properly graded, 110 have attained the third rank standard of efficiency and 44 have introduced the Graded Literature, 34 Home Departments 85 Worker's Councils, 139 Cradle Rolls, 163 Wesley Bible Classes and 6 Epworth Leagues have been organized. Sixty new Sunday Schools have been organized, 108 pupils have joined the church on profession of faith and 168 persons have pledged themselves for some definite phase of Christian service.

These are only a few of the things accomplished. The goal for the next twelve months looks to more aggressive work in every department of our Sunday School work. Our greatest drawback is lack of sufficient funds with which to finance this important work.

We would like to urge upon every pastor the observance of Sunday School Day and a prompt remittance of the collection to our Conference Treasurer.

We have elected Rev. John C. Chambers as Field Secretary for the ensuing year. He will have associated with him Brother O. C. Hull, as his assistant. We request the appointment of Brother Chambers as Sunday School Field Secretary.

H. F. TOLLE, Chairman.

Mortmain Statutes—A. F. Watkins addressed the Conference relative to the Mortmain Statutes of the State of Mississippi, and urged the members of the Conference to interest themselves in the matter, so that the session of the State legislature in 1924 may be urged to pass down an Amendment to the Constitution asking for the abrogation of these unrighteous and hurtful laws.

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report of the Epworth League Board

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:-It is a source of gratitude to God that the Epworth League is making very encouraging progress. There seems to be more interest in this work at this time, than there has been at any former period. It is timely that this interest be shown in this work, for it is foundation work. When we interest and train our young people in religious work we are laying the foundation for a greater activity for the future church. When a pastor is interesting the children of his church in Junior League Work, he is preparing members for his Senior League, and the Senior League is training workers for active membership in the church. The Epworth Leagues of the Mississippi Conference are seventh in our church in the amount paid to the Centenary for African Special. We are third in the amount paid per member. We are first in amount paid on quota The Epworth Leagues of our Conference were asked for \$7,600.00 for the five years and we had paid at the end of the third year \$8,477.00. The Leagues are urged to observe Anniversary Day or Young People's Day wherever possible. We call attention to the Epworth Era as a splendid religious monthly that ought to go into every Methodist Home.

The Epworth League Assembly held in Brookhaven last June, was a great success. The attendance was real good, and the program rendered was educational and inspirational from beginning to end. A similar assembly will be held this next conference year from about June 4th to 11th and the pastors are urged to attend and see that some of their young people attend.

The Conference League Board very heartily endorses the assembly. Let there be Missionary Classes organized in every League.

Respectfully submitted,

W. D. HAWKINS, Chairman.

W. A. TERRY, Secretary.

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report—American Bible Society Board

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—We beg leave to submit the following report:

We believe the Bible to be the inspired word of God: from it we learn how we came to be: without it the evolutionist would seem to have the advantage of us: but, in the blessed book, called the Holy Bible, we read: "The first man Adam was made a living Soul, the last Adam was made a quickening Spirit." Then, for the answer, why the second Adam? we look back to the third Chapter of Genesis: there we find the first Adam brought sin and death upon all men. Hence the importance of the second Adam, who took our death upon himself and offers to give us life. We, therefore, urge a careful distribution of Bibles wherever needed.

On motion Rev. W. W. Moore was recommended to assist the American Bible Society in the distribution of Bibles.

We urgently recommend that the American Bible Society be requested to furnish Rev. W. W. Moore the remaining seventy-five, of the one hundred, Bibles for which he asked last year, for use in Back Bay Mission.

We recommend that Rev. M. L. Burton be granted the privilege of using \$100.00 for Bibles to be distributed among the Syrians.

The Sunday School Board, with which we entered into an agreement last year reports a distribution of 1,500 leaflets, 200 Gospels of John, and 10 New Testaments.

Respectfully submitted,
P. H. HOWSE, President.
M. R. JONES, Secretary.

The following report was read and adopted:

Report—Board of Temperance and Social Service
To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—We call attention to the crowded condition and poorly housed laborers in some of the saw mill towns, but especially in the factory districts of our coast. As citizens we should urge our state to place sane requirements upon those who own and operate these mills and factories. We would urge our State and County officers to demand such conditions as will be both inviting and sanitary. Many of the flats in which these people are housed are not so good as the barns in which the stock have their abiding place.

We also recommend that our preachers be more active in selecting and using their Social Service Committees, recognizing the fact that this committee has a duty to the individual in welcoming strangers, encouraging the members to attend the meetings of the church, and to see that a spirit of Christian fellowship prevails in the membership, and further to look after the needy and sick, and render both spiritual and material aid when necessary.

The Social Service Committee has a duty to the church in that it follows the missionary teaching of our Christ in looking after the church's duty to the individual, and it has a duty to the community in that it links up the church as an institution to the life of the community. While this committee is the active agent of the membership of the church, it is not intended that this committee shall take from any individual member the responsibility or opportunity for real Christian service.

#### Temperance.

There has arisen such loose ideals about the danger of strong drink and of the deadly effects of alcohol upon the human system; also we find a great laxity in law enforcement—we think there is a demand upon us to take a more decided stand against this evil.

We believe there should be a more persistent effort on the part of the . Church to teach the people on the subject of temperance. We do not believe that our ministers are called upon to police the country—but we do believe we can render humanity a service by insisting on the execution of the

laws of our land—our part as a church is to see that the preacher keeps the public conscience awake and insist upon law enforcement and lovingly, but firmly, and persistently urge that the officers execute the law. Our slogan as a church should be on the Social Service and Temperance—information—inspiration— and speedy reformation and advancement toward the golden rule.

Respectfully,
J. E. WILLIAMS, Chairman.
WALDO W. MOORE, Secretary.

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report—Orphans' Home Committee

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference

Dear Brethren:—Your Committee on our Orphan's Home has carefully considered the report submitted by the Board of Directors and are much pleased with the showing which they make. As this report contains those details of the year's work which should go to record, we append this report as a part of ours.

We would like to call the attention of the Conference to three facts which have been suggested by this report:

·1st. We would urge upon every pastor the necessity of taking a monthly offering for this great work. If every pastoral charge will do this, as well as observe Work Day, the superintendent will never be under the necessity of borrowing money to finance the institution.

2nd. We would ask the Conference to pledge itself to co-operate with the Board of Directors in any improvements and enlargements they may deem needful when they meet in the Spring.

3rd. Recognizing the growing importance of this work, we would recommend that an Orphan's Home Board be created to be nominated by the Presiding Elders and elected by this Conference for a term of four years, as are our other boards. In order that the term of office of this board may terminate with our other quadrennial boards, we recommend that our Presiding Elders nominate this Board for confirmation at the next session of this Conference to serve to the close of the present quadrennium.

We recommend the reappointment of Rev. B. F. Lewis as superintendent of the Home for the ensuing year.

We also recommend the election of Mr. M. S. Enochs and Rev. W. M. Sullivan to succeed themselves as Trustees. We also request the confirmation of Mrs. W. T. Denman as the representative of the Woman's Missionary Society on this Board.

Respectfully submitted,

W. D. DAVIS, Chairman Committee.

Report-Board of Trustees Orphans' Home.

To the Mississippi Annual Conference M. E. Church, South, in Session at Crystal Springs, Miss., November 29th, 1922.

Your Board of Trustees take pleasure in reporting to you that the year 1922 has been both a pleasant and profitable one in our Orphan's Home in Jackson. We have maintained in that institution almost continuously for the entire year two hundred children. We have been able also during the year to find homes for a number of our larger girls, and they have left our institution. None, however, has gone out in the capacity of servants. There have been received into the Home since the first of November, 1921, 59 children and 60 have been placed in foster homes. The health of the Home has been almost perfect. We have had no contagious or infectious diseases, and our hospital has been in use only once or twice during the past twelve months.

The physical condition of our plant, while by no means satisfactory, has been kept up to the standard of previous years and is in reasonably good condition for one of its age. The necessary repairs and improvements have been maintained out of our regular funds as have been for the past few years, though there are some improvements which we deem advisable, if not necessary, namely: Our laundry should be rebuilt from the foundation, and we are greatly in need of enlarging the dining room and kitchen facilities. We have also found our chapel inadequate to our needs during the past twelve or eighteen months.

The religious condition of our Home has been very satisfactory. Within the institution itself we have Vesper services every evening which all the workers and children attend; we have Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:00 o'clock and Epworth League services every Sunday evening followed by a short sermon; a boys' prayer meeting on Saturday night and a prayer meeting conducted by our larger girls on Friday night. On the first Sunday of each month during the past year all of our children have been taken to Capitol Street Church in a special chartered street car and on the third Sunday they all attend the Galloway Memorial Church in a similar way. These two churches paying the expense of transportation. This has meant much to us.

Our school is maintaining its high standard of last year, and as the standard of the grammar schools and high schools of the city are being raised we are raising the standard of our own school so that our children are losing nothing by being taught in our own school building. We have fifteen boys and girls going to the high school in the city, two girls at Grenada College, two at Whitworth and three at Millsaps College, all working for an A. B. degree.

The farm has been very successfully run during the year. Previously we have been very seriously hampered by having no one on the farm other than the farm Superintendent able to do heavy work. During the past year we have had on the place a most reliable and quiet colored family who have rendered such material assistance to us that our farm has done better than since we have owned it. It has not only paid all the expenses of its maintenance but has added in no small way to the reduction of the expense in our kitchen, and we are looking for a more successful year next season. The boys on our farm attend school nine months in the year, have the privilege of religious services and Sunday School facilities.

Our finances were shorter this year than at any time during the past several years and we were under necessity of borrowing \$2,000.00 during the summer, the period of our smallest receipts. We felt this was better than to ask the merchants to carry us, as they are so considerate of us. But the Work Day receipts up to the present have been satisfactory, and, if all our churches will observe this day and make us a remittance and will observe Orphan's Day each month, we will be able to run without embarrassment for the next twelve months. We would like to urge the monthly observance of Orphan's Day upon all the charges in the Conference for the ensuing year.

The term of office of Rev. W. M. Sullivan and Mr. M. S. Enochs as Trustees expires with this session of the Conference and we request that these vacancies be filled. Mrs. W. T. Denman has been re-elected by the Woman's Missionary Society to represent that Society on our Board of Directors, and we would request the confirmation of this election by your body.

Rev. B. F. Lewis has been re-elected Superintendent for the ensuing year and we respectfully request his appointment to this position.

J. H. SHERARD, Chairman. M. S. ENOCHS, Secretary.

Auditing Committee—On motion the following Auditing Committee was elected to serve during the ensuing Quadrennium: W. T. Griffin, T. B. Cottrell, W. H. Lane.

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report—Auditing Committee

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference.

Dear Brethren:—We your auditing committee beg leave to submit the following report:

We have audited reports from the various charges, turned checks over to our Conference Treasurer and received his receipt for same. We would again urge the Brethren to be more prompt in handing in their reports; making separate checks for each claim, stating on this check the claims for which it is intended; also, putting their name, charge and district on each table of report. This will save hours of work and confusion for both Auditing committee and the Statistical Secretaries.

Respectfully submitted,
T. B. COTTRELL,
For Committee.

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report—Committee on the State of the Church

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference.

Dear Brethren:—We your Committee on the State of the Church, would report the following:

We are gratified at the successful revivals held all over our conference, and rejoice over the large number of accessions to the church, and we recommend that we pray for a widening and deepening of the evangelistic

spirit among us, and that there be such a spirit of pastoral dilligence as will conserve the results by strengthening the new converts and promoting their growth in grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

We rejoice that the church has been given a vision of the unparalleled opportunities for the evangelization of the world, and is marshaling her forces for the speedy accomplishment of that purpose.

There are some persons who discount the supernatural in our holy religion but who seek to make amends by employing the evangelistic note. We would therefore urge our ministry and our laymen not only to stress evangelistic effort but also to stand true to and be diligent in the teaching of the cardinal truths of our holy Christianity involving the miraculous person of our Lord Jesus Christ as well as of his teaching and of that miraculous history by which the world through the chosen people was made ready for his coming.

We rejoice in the success of the centenary movement and urge that in order to carry out the great plans of our church for the advancement of God's kingdom on earth and the salvation of souls we faithfully meet our obligations in the amounts pledged and yet unpaid. We urge upon our preachers both by example and precept to do all in their power to make our people realize the importance of meeting these obligations, not only because the church in the heathen world will suffer as a result, but because the failure to meet these pledges if one is able to do so will imperil christian character as well as discredit the church of our God.

It is with joy and thanksgiving that we see our laymen taking their rightful place in the church in their efforts to save the world for Christ, and that they are organizing in many places in a united effort to save the lost and bring them to Jesus. In so doing they are but returning to the apostolic spirit and we wish for them the return of the apostolic power. We request our preachers everywhere to organize our laymen in harmony with the plan laid down by our General Conference and lead and encourage them in operating it, which seems all the more important in our church on account of the primacy of the pastorate.

We would warn against worldliness both in the business and in the pleasures of our people. The worship of mammon is constantly intruding into the church of God in the form of the greed for gain which finds expression in our unchristian spirit and unchristian methods of business, against which we would especially warn, feeling that the christianization of business would go far toward the christianization of the world.

The Church has always had to contend against worldliness in form of sinful and questionable diversions; but in this day certain forms of amusements have been so perverted and debased as to call special warning and condemnation.

We would call our people to more earnest constant prayer, to holiness of life and conduct, and building up of the family altars, believing these will counteract the drift away from Christ which prevails to such a great and alarming extent.

M. B. SHARBROUGH, Chairman, Mrs. H. M. ELLIS, Secretary.

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report—Committee on Sabbath Observance

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference.

Dear Brethren.—Your committee on Sabbath Observance submit the following report:

We feel the time has come for a more definite and determined effort on our part to safeguard the American Sabbath.

We view with alarm the spread of Sabbath desecration in the South, where one person out of every six, six millions in all, live in communities where the "Continental Sunday" is rapidly displacing the "American Sunday."

We deplore and condemn the laxity on the part of the Christian people in keeping the Sabbath, or observing Sunday, and thus sorely wound the Lord's Day in the home of its friends.

We urge that our preachers call upon all our people to properly observe the Lord's Day and thus set an example that will make it easier to enforce our civil laws against Sabbath desecration.

We note with gratification a tendency in many of our towns and cities to more properly observe the Sabbath and heartily commend the action of many to close their garages, filling stations, meat markets and other places of business.

We feel that a more wide spread revival of religion will accomplish more of this good work and ultimately restore the Lord's Day to its proper place and use.

We approve the action of the General Conference at its meeting in Hot Springs in endorsing the work of the Lord's Day Alliance and recommend that the Board of Temperance and Social Service make arrangements for our conference to be affiliated with that organization as suggested by the General Conference.

O. S. LEWIS, For the Committee.

The following report was read and adopted:

## Report—Committee on District Conference Records

To the Bishop and Members of the Mississippi Annual Conference:

Dear Brethren:—Wt have examined the records for each of the Districts. All of them have been neatly and correctly kept. We congratulate the Secretaries on their faithfulness and efficiency.

Respectfully,

J. T. ABNEY, Chairman. W. L. BLACKWELL, Secretary.

Questions Twenty-Four to Thirty-Nine were called and answered by the Statistical Secretary. (See Condensed Minutes).

The following resolutions were read and adopted by a rising vote:

#### Resolutions of Thanks

Whereas, we rejoice in the gracious providence of God which en ables us to convene in this beautiful house of worship since we last met here in 1889, therefore be it resolved:

First, That we thank the citizens of Crystal Springs for their generous hospitality.

Second, That we thank our host, Rev. W. B Jones, and the several committees associated with him for their kindness.

Third, That we thank our official reporter, Rev. E. H. Cunningham and the Commercial Appeal and the Times-Picayune for their full and complete reports, and also Miss Eleanor Russell for typewriting.

Fourth, That we thank the congregation of the several churches for the use of their houses of worship.

Fifth, That we thank the Rev. Arthur J. Moore, pastor of Travis Park Church, San Antonio, Texas, for the earnest and helpful sermons which he preached during the Conference.

C. F. EMERY.

Introductions—Miss Hallie Buie, our Missionary in Korea, at home on leave; Mrs. B. F. Lewis, President of the Conference Weman's Missionary Society, and Mrs. H. L. McClesky, Corresponding Secretary of the same body, were introduced to the Conference.

Minutes—The Minutes of the Session were read and approved.

Final Adjournment—A motion was adopted that the Conference adjourn sine die with the reading of the appointments. The Bishop made remarks suitable to the occasion and called

Question Forty-Three—"Where are the preachers stationed this year?"

## **Appointments**

#### BROOKHAVEN DISTRICT

	H M Ellic	Presiding Elder—3
-1		
1	Adams	W. W. Nelson—2
2		A. T. Long, Supply
3	Bayou Pierre	S. B. Watkins—2
4	Bogue Chitto and Norfield	J. T. Weems—2
5		A. M. Broadfoot—1
6	Crystal Springs	
7	Fernwood	H. L. Norton—2
8	Foxworth	J. W. Price—1
	· · · ·	W. B. Waldrop, Supernumerary
9	Gallman	J. T. Abney—3

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10	Georgetown	Jas. W. Sells, Supply
11	Hazlehurst	
12	Magnolia	
13	McComb, Centenary	G. H. Thompson—3
14	McComb, La Branch Street	A. S. Oliver—2
15	McComb, Pearl River Avenue	
16	Meadville and Bude	
17	Monticello	R. A. Allums—2
18	Osyka	
19	Pleasant Grove	
20	Scotland	
21	Summit and Topisaw	
22	Tylertown	
23	Wesson and Beauregard	
	President of Whitworth College	_
	Chaplain in United States Navy	
	Conference Evangelist	W. T. Griffin
	HATTIESBURG DISTRICT.	
	W. W. Graves	Prociding Eldon 2
1	Avera	_
2	Bonhommie	
3	Collins	
4	Ellisville	-
5	Eucutta	
6	Hattiesburg, Broad Street	
7	Hattiesburg, Court Street	
8	Hattiesburg, Main Street	
9	Heidelberg	
10	Leakesville	· ·
11	Lucedale	
12	Lucedale Circuit	
13	Mt. Olive and Magee	
14 15	New Augusta	
16	Petal	
17	Prentiss	
18	Purvis	
19	Richton	
20	Seminary	
21	Silver City	
22	Sumrall	
23	Taylorsville	
24	Williamsburg	
41	Conference Evangelist	
	JACKSON DISTRICT.	
	M. L. Burton	Presiding Elder—3
1	Benton	E. A. King—2
2	Bentonia	J. F. Watson—2
3	Bolton and Raymond	

4	Brandon and Pelahatchie	W I Dames 0
5	Camden	
6	Canton	
7		
8	Eden	
9	Fannin	
10	Flora	
11	Florence	
12	Harrisville	
13	Jackson, Capitol Street	
14	Jackson, Galloway Memorial	
17	Jackson, Ganoway Memoria	J. L. Ferguson, Junior Preacher—1
15	Jackson, Rankin Street	
16	Madison	
17	Mendenhall and D'Lo	
18	Monterey	
19	Satartia	
20	Sharon	
21	Terry	
22	Vaughan	
23	Yazoo City	
24	Yazoo City Circuit	
	esident of Millsaps College	
	ofessor in Millsaps College	
	ofessor in Milisaps College	
Cor	mmissioner of Millsaps College	M. M. Black
	eretary of Education	
	nday School Secretary	
	nager of Orphans' Home	
	nager Mississippi Home Finding Socie	
	dent in Emory University	
Sur	perintendent Czecho-Slovakia Mission	J. L. Neill
Stu	dent in Emory University	C. W. Wesley
	nference Evangelist	
	rian Mission	
Mis	ssionary Evangelist, Jackson, Vicksbur	
	Districts	Rolfe Hunt
	MERIDIAN DI	STRICT.
	P. D. Hardin	
1	Bucatunna	
2	Cleveland	
3	Daleville	
4	DeKalb	
5	DeSoto	•
G	J. H.	Fleming, Junior Preacher, Supply
6	Lauderdale and Electric Mills	
	Matherville	
9	Meridian, Central	J. L. Decell—3
10	Meridian, East End	
11	Meridian, Fifth Street	

13	Mentorum	R. G. Williams, Supply
14	Moss Point	J. E. Gray—2
15	Ocean Springs	
16	Pascagoula	
17	Pass Christian	
18	Picayune	
19	Poplarville	
20	Saucier	T. H. King—1
	E. J. Rutle	dge, Junior Preacher—1
21	Vancleave	E. M. Allen—2
22	Wesley Memorial	
23	Wiggins	
	President Seashore Campground School	
	Conference Evangelist	
	Missionary Evangelist, Seashore, Hattiesburg,	Meridian
	and Newton Districts	J. M. Smith
	VICKSBURG DISTRICT.	
	J. R. Jones	Presiding Elder—4
1	Anguilla	
2	Centerville	
3	Fayette	
4	Gloster and Liberty	J. L. Smith—2
5	Harriston	B. M. Hunt—1
6	Hermanville	
v 7	Louise and Holly Bluff	
8	Mayersville	
9	Natchez	
10	Nebo	J. H. Sharp, Supply
11	Oak Ridge	E. D. Simpson—2
12	Port Gibson	W. H. Huntley—1
13	Rocky Springs	
14	Rolling Fork	
15	Rosetta	
16	Roxie	M. L. McCormick—2
17	Silver City	
18	Utica	
19	Vicksburg, Crawford Street	
26	Vicksburg, Gibson Memorial	
21	Washington	
22	Woodville	H. G. Hawkins—1

Transferred: R. T. Pickett, an elder, to the Louisiana Conference J. W. Chisholm, an elder, to the West Texas Conference; R. J. Hollingsworth, in class of first year, to the North Mississippi Conference.

Conference adjourned Sine Die with the benediction pronounced by Bishop Ainsworth.

#### CONDENSED MINUTES.

Of the One Hundred and Ninth Session of the Mississippi Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, held at Crystal Springs, Mississippi beginning November 30 1922, ending December 4, 1922 Bishop William N. Ainsworth, President; A. F. Watkins, Secretary. Post office of Secretary, Jackson, Mississippi.

#### I. PROBATIONERS.

- 1. Who are admitted on trial? Charles Warren Wesley, Emmett Jackson Rutledge, Rolfe Hunt, Obed Burch Matheny, Harvey Judson Oakley, Nicholas Smuts Loftus.
- 2. Who else is in the class of the first year? Van R. Landrum.
- 3. Who remain on trial? Andrew Jackson Boyles, Bruner Marion Hunt, Daniel Parker Yeager, George Leonard McNeese, Enoch Alexander King, William Calvin Monroe Baggett.
- 4. Who else is in the class of the second year? Warren Nathaniel Ware.
- 5. Who are discontinued? James W. O'Neil.

#### II. CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP.

- 6. Who are admitted into full connection? John Carl Jackson, Lemuel John Snelgrove, Martin Luther McCormick, Thomas Commander Cooper.
- 7. Who else is in the class of the third year? Stennis Wood Johnson, Bertram Hamilton Williams, L. M. Sharp, Otto Porter, E. M. Allen, J. F. Watson.
- 8. Who are readmitted? None.
- 9. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Percy Vaughn.
- 10. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? Albert Jackson Leggett.
- 11. Who are located this year? J. S. Duke.
- 12. Who have withdrawn or been expelled? M. N. Hildebrand.
- 13. Who are transferred to other Conferences? R. T. Pickett, R. T. Hollingsworth, J. W. Chisholm.
- 14. What preachers have died during the year? R. H. Barr, J. M. Massey, W. W. Hopper, T. W. Adams.

### III. ORDERS.

- 15. Who are the deacons of one year? John Lovett Carter, Irl Hendrix Sells, John L. Ferguson, Jr.
- 16. Who else is in the class of the fourth year? Thomas Marvin Ainsworth.
- 17. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected deacons? Traveling preachers, John Carl Jackson, Lemuel John Snelgrove, Martin Luther McCormick, Thomas Commander Cooper.

  Local preachers—None.

- 18. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained deacons? Traveling preachers, John Carl Jackson, Lemuel John Snelgrove, Martin Luther McCormick, Thomas Commander Cooper.

  Local preachers—None.
- 19. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected elders? Traveling preachers, James. Benjamin Stringer.

Local preachers-Robert B. McGehee.

20. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained elders? Traveling preachers, James Benjamin Stringer.

Local preachers—None.

#### IV. CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

- 21. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one and they were all passed in examination of character.
- 22. Who are supernumerary? W. B. Waldrop.
- 23. Who are superannuated? Ira B. Robertson, R. Bradley, W. W. Simmons, L. Carley, W. W. Cammack, J. T. Nicholson, C. M. Martin, E. D. Phillips, W. D. Dominick, R. F. Witt, J. W. Brown, G. R. Ellis, G. W. Huff, C. T. Noble, J. B. King, B. H. Rawls, C. H. Ellis, I. L. Peebles, H. B. Perritt, H. W. Featherstun, J. C. Ellis.

#### V. STATISTICS.

- 24. What is the number of districts, of pastoral charges, and of societies in this Conference? Districts, 7; Pastoral Charges, 165; Societies, 540.
- 25. How many have been licensed to preach, and what is the number of local preachers and of members? Licensed, 13; Local Preachers, 114; Members, 63,252.
- 26. How many adults and how many infants have been baptized during the year? Adults, 1931; Infants, 887.
- 27. What is the number of Epworth Leagues and of Epworth League members? Epworth Leagues, 181; Epworth League Members, 5297.
- 28. What is the number of Sunday schools, of Sunday school officers and teachers, and of Sunday school scholars enrolled during the year? Sunday Schools, 455; Officers and Teachers, 3703; Scholars Enrolled, 40,567.
- 29. What is the number of Woman's Missionary Societies, and what is the number of members of the same? Societies, 183; Members, 4,838.
- 30. What are the educational statistics? Institutions, 5; Teachers, 62; Students, 864; Value of Property, \$852,373.00; Endowment, \$600,000.00.
- 31. What are the orphanage statistics? Orphanages, 1; Officers and Teachers, 13; Children Cared For, 250; Value of Property, \$100,000.00.
- 32. What are the hospital statistics? Hospitals, 1; Officers and Nurses, 15; Beds, 36; Patients, 807; Value of Property, \$45,000.00.

#### VI. FINANCES

- 33. What has been contributed for the following causes? Foreign Missions, \$11,321.31; Home and Conference Missions, \$11,228.74; Church Extension, \$6,059.32; Education, \$10,396.49; American Bible Society, \$956.74; General Conference Expense, \$637,82; by the Woman's Missionary Society, \$51,347.
- 34. What has been contributed for the support of the ministry? Bishops, \$2,551.29; Presiding Elders, \$24,345; Preachers in Charge, \$219,625; Conference Claimants, \$15,124.00; Superannuate Endowment Fund, \$1,689.55.
- 35. What is the grand total contributed for all purposes from all sources in this Conference this year? \$884,487.
- 36. What is the number of houses of worship, their value, and the amount of indebtedness thereon? Houses of Worship, 497; Value, \$1,944,500; Indebtedness, \$115,470.
- 37. What is the number of parsonages, their value, and the amount of indebtedness thereon? District Parsonages, 6: Value, \$32,000; Parsonages Belonging to Pastoral Charges, 154; Value, \$374,635; Indebtedness \$22,304.
- 38. What amount of insurance is carried on Church property, and what amount has been paid out in premiums? Insurance carried, \$869,125; Premiums Paid, \$6,148.
- 39. How many churches and parsonages have been damaged or destroyed during the year, what is the amount of damage, and what has been collected thereon? Churches and Parsonages Damaged, 2; Amount of Damage, \$2,000.

## VIII. MISCELLANEOUS.

- 41. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report of the Board on Lay Activities? J. M. Sullivan, (See Report).
- 42. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Gulfport.
- 43. Where are the preachers stationed this year? See Appointments.

# Standing Rules of the Mississippi Conference

Standing Committees.

The Presiding Elders are instructed to meet in advance of the first morning session of the Conference, and to have the Standing Committees ready for nomination at the opening of the Conference.

—Journal 1882, page 10.

Censure for Not Appearing for Examination.

It is cause for censure for any preacher to fail, without good reason, to appear before the committee for examination.—Journal 1891, page 37.

Pastors and Collections.

Pastors are instructed to prorate all collections taken on assessments, so as not to discriminate against one claim in favor of another.—Journal 1889, page 18.

Mississippi Orphans' Home.

Each pastor is required to devote one Sunday in each year to the interests of the Orphans' Home, and promptly forward amounts contributed to the Treasurer of the Home.—Journal 1902, page 40.

Reports and Resolutions.

Reports and resolutions should be written with ink and presented in duplicate.—Journal 1903, page 14.

Lay Membership in the District Conference.

The Lay Membership in the District Conference shall consist of one delegate from each church for every one hundred members and fraction of two-thirds thereof; provided, that each church shall have at least one delegate. These delegates shall be elected by the Church Conference.—Journal 1910, page 78.

Pastors' Reports.

The pastors shall present the reports of their charges to the Auditing Committee not later than the second day's session.

The pastors shall report only even dollars in the statistical tables.—Journal 1913, page 51.

Correspondence School and Examining Committees.

Examining Committees are authorized to accept certificates from the Correspondence School and the Seashore Divinity School in lieu of examinations by themselves.—Journal 1914, page 57.

· Conference Sacramental Service.

At future sessions of the Conference it shall be the standing

order to hold the Conference Sacramental Service in connection with and immediately following the devotional service at the opening session of each Conference.—Journal 1914, page 35.

Publication Report of Divinity School.

The annual report of the Seashore Divinity School shall be read on the Conference floor and published in the Journal.—Journal 1916 page 31.

## Changes in Charges in the Districts.

#### CHANGES IN BROOKHAVEN DISTRICT

Tylertown would become a Station by giving China Grove Church to Foxworth Circuit.

H. M. ELLIS.

#### CHANGES IN HATTIESBURG DISTRICT.

Take Cox Chapel and Leaf from the New Augusta Circuit and add them to the Lucedale Circuit.

Take McCallum and Terrell School House from the Petal Circuit and add them to the New Augusta Circuit.

Add Tallahala Lumber Mills to Petal Circuit.

Take Sharon Grove Church from Mt. Olive and Magee Circuit and add it to the Taylorsville Circuit.

Add the State Sanatorium to the Mt. Olive and Magee Circuit.

W. W. GRAVES.

#### CHANGES IN THE JACKSON DISTRICT.

Take New Providence from Fannin and attach to Brandon and Pelahatchie, as an afternoon appointment.

Drop Millsaps Memorial, as a charge, putting Flags Chapel and Clinton with Capitol Street and putting Millsaps Memorial with Galloway Memorial.

Take Fletcher's Chapel from the Vaughn Circuit and attach to Bentonia.

Take Lake City from the Bentonia Circuit, Lamkin from the Silver City Circuit and Lintonia and Carter, and make the Yazoo City Circuit.

M. L. BURTON.

#### CHANGES IN MERIDIAN DISTRICT.

Change the name of Lauderdale charge to Lauderdale and Electric Mills charge.

Add Pine Springs, formerly on the Chunky charge, Newton District, to the Seventh Avenue charge in the Meridian District.

Give Goodall Church on DeSoto charge, half-time and appoint a junior preacher to serve part of the charge.

#### CHANGES IN NEWTON DISTRICT.

Absorb Deemer Circuit.

Place Deemer on Neshoba charge.

Place Hope, Liberty and Scotland on the North Neshoba charge.

Take Zion Grove from Trenton Circuit and place on the Forest and Morton charge.

#### CHANGES IN THE SEASHORE DISTRICT.

Take McHenry from the Brooklyn charge to the Saucier charge.

Take Mississippi City from the Ocean Springs to the Wesley Memorial charge.

Take Baxterville from Lumberton to the Brooklyn charge.

## Memoirs

## THOMAS WALKER ADAMS

Thomas Walker Adams, son of J. W. Adams, of Virginia, and Lucy W. Gilmer, of Georgia, was born on a plantation in Madison County, Mississippi, on the eighth of February, 1850. He died at Lexington, Miss., November 27, 1922, and was buried at Brookhaven the following day.

Considering his parentage, we are not surprised to find that, for his generation, T. W. Adams was given more than the average amount of schooling. His academic work was taken at old Sharon College and his advanced instruction was given him at Emory and Henry College.

Perhaps the most eventful year of his life was 1874, for then he was licensed to preach, was married to Miss Julia E. Thompson and joined the Mississippi Conference. At this time, the territory of the Mississippi Conference included a portion of Louisiana, and Brother Adams' first pastoral charge was Franklinton, Louisiana.

During the long period of years over which his faithful, loyal and efficient service to the Mississippi Conference extended, he served, besides Franklinton, the following charges: Free Run Circuit, Dover, Benton and Midway, Logtown, Wesson, Ellisville, McComb and Magnolia, Moss Point, Hazlehurst, Brookhaven, Laurel, Lumberton, Hattiesburg Main Street, and Hattiesburg Court Street. He served a term of four years as Presiding Elder of the Natchez District, of three years Presiding Elder of the Brookhaven District and, again, a period of three years as Presiding Elder of the Vicksburg District. For two years, he served as Chaplain in the State Penitentiary. Truly a record of laborious but helpful days.

As a pastor, he was loved because of his geniality, his humor and his friendly, sympathetic heart. By nature he was social, so we find that he often visited his members. His keen, refined humor made him a welcome visitor even in the homes of outsiders. His people liked to hear him preach for his sermons were logical, original and well expressed. Indeed, he had an unusual gift of language which served him well, not only in the pulpit, but in writing. He would have made a fine editor for one of our church papers.

As a Presiding Elder, he was successful because, to the qualities we have named as pastor and preacher he added organizing ability and business sense. These latter gifts account, in part, for the fact that he was unusually successful in the management of his own financial affairs so that old age found him in independent circumstances. Just here, however, we would emphasize the fact that though he accumulated, he gave very generously to his church. His liberality was far above the average—even the average Methodist preacher.

If T. W. Adams had not been called to the ministry, he might have made a statesman, for he was broad in his vision of world af-

fairs and wonderfully well posted on current events and all matters of general intelligence.

His breadth of vision did not prevent him from having depth of feeling. We are told that he almost worshiped his good wife who preceded him only a few months to the Better Land. Her death and that of his promising young son, Farve Adams, who also belongs to our number of the Sainted members of the Mississippi Conference—these two losses seem to have broken his joy in life, so that he prayed, "Now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace." He was deeply attached, too, to the three married daughters who live to carry on his Christian character and teachings.

Brother Adams was not only a Christian, he was deeply religious and spiritual. It was fitting that at his funeral one of his best loved fellow-workers should read, "He that dwelleth in the secret place of the most High, shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty." And his devotion to Methodism was second only to his Christianity. He was most heartily and thoroughly convinced of the superiority of the Southern Methodist Church—above all other churches.

Two of our friends most pronounced characteristics were his decision and his fearlessness. There was nothing negative about him. He knew what he believed and proclaimed it fearlessly. This was true not only of his religious convictions, but of every question which presented itself to his mind. By nature, he was such a worker and a fighter that all who understood him were forced to admire these elements of strength.

He was such a fearless fighter that we may feel sure that he met his last enemy, Death, with the cry, "one fight more, the best and the last! Let me taste the whole of it, fare like my peers, the heroes of old!"

I. W. COOPER.
J. M. MORSE.

## REV. ROBERT HARTWELL BARR

A memoir of Rev. Robert Hartwell Barr, late of the Mississippi Conference—Affectionately Prepared by his Conference Classmate, Rev. Geo. H. Thompson.

Rev. Robert Hartwell Barr began life near Lower Peach Tree, Ala., June 24, 1849, and finished his labors and entered into the rest that remaineth for the people of God at Moss Point, Miss., December 30, 1921. He was the first-born of eight children given to his parents, Bartlett S. and Martha A. Barr. His was a good inheritance. Both grandfathers, Bartlett Barr, Sr., and Isham J. Clark, were Methodist preachers, and his uncle for whom he was named, Rev. Robert Clark, was a pioneer preacher in Montana, and a member of the Montana Conference. This was an inheritance of which Brother Barr was justly proud.

He had the good fortune of early life on the farm, and was developed in his spirit of helpfulness to others when young by helping his mother care for younger children while the father did his part in the Civil War. When the verdict of arms had been rendered, and the South had suffered the loss of all save its honor and courage, the father and son joined in battle against the biting poverty that had been thrust on them and others who had defended the right to withdraw from the Union. His school days were thus cut short in his early teens, and further efforts for knowledge were without a teacher. His mind was always thirsty for knowledge, and the open eye and the attentive ear continually watered the mental plant. His memory was developed to a very unusual degree. I have seen few men who could retain so much of a sermon or lecture as he. With a strong love for good literature, and with power to concentrate his thoughts on the matter read, and aided by his rare memory, he gathered a large fund of information.

When about 15 years old, and while attending a camp meeting near Lower Peach Tree, Ala., he was converted, and united with the Methodist Church, in whose communion and ministry he spent his life. The date that he was licensed to preach is not definitely known, but he was ordained local deacon at the Conference when he was admitted on trial. This Conference was held at Crystal Springs in December, 1889, and was presided over by Bishop Galloway, who ordained him. Nine years later in Hattiesburg, he was ordained elder by Bishop Galloway. He was the oldest member of a class of sixteen admitted on trial in 1889, being at that time in his forty-first year. The following list shows the charges served by him as pastor, and the years of this service: Hillsboro Circuit, 1890-91; Westville Circuit, 1892-93; Trenton Circuit 1894-95; Vimville Circuit, 1896-98; Mathersville Circuit, 1899-1901; Winchester Circuit, 1902; Escatawpa Circuit, 1903-1906; Americus Circuit, 1907; DeKalb Circuit, 1908-1910; North Wesson, 1911-1913; Adams Circuit, 1914-1917; Foxworth Circuit, 1918-1920.

The foregoing list of appointments shows that Brother Barr gave to the Mississippi Conference thirty-one years of service, and they were given uninterruptedly to the pastorate. He felt that his call was to preach the gospel, and to shepherd the flock over which the Holy Ghost, acting through the church, had made him overseer. His church called on him to serve some charges that are commonly called "hard charges" —hard, because of much trayel and meager support. To these he went with the loyalty and courage of a soldier summoned to battle. I do not think that pipe organs, high steeples, studios, and swivel chairs had much lure for him, but humanity, hungry and thirsty for the "meat indeed" and the "drink indeed," tugged mightily at his soul. The impelling conviction was upon him that the Cross of Christ which had lifted him above the power of sin could do the same for all others. Untried modern theology could never rival in his mind and heart the theology that had transformed a world, and which had transformed his own life. He did not have time nor inclination to try it out.

You would not call Brother Barr a great preacher, but you must call him a good preacher. His sermon matter was extracted from the Bible, and it appealed to the head and heart of the hearer, and was delivered in a pleasing manner. To a mellow voice of splendid carrying qualities was added pleasing gestures. He spoke smooth-flowing English with animation, but without vehemence. His fondness for simile led him to an over-use of metaphor. He made liberal use of quotations, which were skillfully selected and accurately quoted. For him John was a better model for preaching than Isaiah, but he did not shirk sternness when he felt that it was needed. He was not a "son of thunder," but a messenger of consolation.

A large part, perhaps the larger part, of the good done by him as an itinerant Methodist preacher was done through his pastoral work. He diligently visited the people. The pastorate of large circuits, such as he served most of his ministerial life, required much travel to reach the homes of the people, but this duty was cheerfully accepted and faithfully done. Always an optimist, and breathing a buoyant, cheerful spirit, his optimism was contagious. The tenderness of his heart and the largeness of his soul put him in close touch with all who were weary and heavy-laden. His tenderness opened the hearts of the children to him, and they loved him as he loved them. The devotion of himself to God and duty carried conviction to the careless and halting with much force.

The outstanding trait in Brother Barr's life was his great brotherliness. What member of the Mississippi Conference will not sadly miss at its next session the hearty handshake, the cordial greeting, the lovebeaming face that has greeted them during the last thirty-one years? Can any of us say that we ever heard him speak unkindly of any one? Is there a soul, living or dead, who ever felt that Brother Barr ever did him knowingly an unkindness? He was incapable of such an act. He loved the members of his Conference, rejoiced in their successes, and sorrowed when their failures came. We say that he was guileless; that may be, for it is born of love, and his life was made richer because he thought no evil.

At the age of twenty years Brother Barr was married to Miss Eliza Moore, a member of an Alabama family whose social and religious life was a rich asset to any community. Truly God had joined them together. At the time Brother Barr was admitted into the Mississippi Conference he owned a good farm in Neshoba County, and had provided for his family a comfortable home. Out from this home the faithful and noble wife went, like Abraham, not knowing where she was going, but, knowing the God of Abraham, she went cheerfully. The way led to at least three charges which did not have parsonages, but Brother Barr left no one of these without a parsonage. To these servants of God four children were given to brighten and bless their home, but two of them died in childhood. Two daughters, Mrs. J. A. Elder and Mrs. Charles W. Wesley, are left on this side of the great divide, heirs of the mantle of their parents, and are making a splendid contribu-

tion to the ongoing Kingdom of Christ through their social and religious activities. The honored father spent his last earthly days under the affectionate care of the two daughters in Mrs. Elder's home at Moss Point, Miss. No word of praise given to the unmarried daughter would be extravagant for her unselfish service, whole-hearted devotion, and affectionate care given to her parents in their declining days. She was truly an angel of mercy in her ministries.

Failing health had admonished Brother Barr that he must rest awhile, and at the Conference held in 1920 he asked for and was granted a superannuate relation. Having served the Foxworth charge three years immediately preceding his superannuation, and having many warm friends there, he decided to spend the remainder of his time on earth with them. He built a cozy home where he and his daughter could spend their days together, and the home was comfortably furnished, and free from debt. It gave him great pleasure to have his friends call and look through his house. It seems sad that he could enjoy it for only one year; but a Great Builder had finished and furnished a better home for him, and took him away from us. He told us that the call had come, and he was going soon, that he had no fears for the journey, and that we would know where to find him afterwhile. On Sunday, the first day of the new year, in the Methodist Church at Foxworth, in the presence of a great gathering of friends and neighbors, we gave him the benison of Christian burial. Revs. H. M. Ellis, L. L. Roberts, W. W. Murray and the writer joined in conducting the service. His body rests in the village cemetery, laid there by the fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons.

#### WILLIAM WALLACE HOPPER

One of God's noblemen has crossed life's ocean, experienced its storms and fogs, fought his battles, vanquished his foes, run his race, reached the goal, entered the haven of everlasting rest, received his crown and now exults in Victory.

He was born in Mobile, Alabama, May 20, and passed to his eternal reward from Montrose, Mississippi, on the morning of November 13, 1922. Thus a soul and body parted for a time, which had lived together in mystic union for more than seventy years, and a busy life closed upon earth forever.

Birth and death define the extremes of life, but it is the filling in of the years that counts, that really interprets life and its profound meaning.

He whose body we laid to rest in Waynesboro cemetery on the 14th of November, started in life with many advantages, among which were a vigorous body, physical courage, a mind well balanced and enough of family history to beget a healthy self-respect. His boyhood and youth were not enervated by easy circumstances, instead he was trained to labor and to wrestle with difficult affairs, thus gaining strength and the safe consciousness of its possession.

W. W. Hopper was converted at Frost Bridge Camp Meeting on the night of October 14, 1872—Licensed to preach in July, 1874—Received on trial in the Mississippi Conference in December, 1874. His first appointment was Decatur Mission, which included parts of Newton and Neshoba Counties.

He labored faithfully as Minister of the Gospel in the M. E. Church, South, for forty-eight years, nineteen of which were given to evangelistic work.

It was in November, 1881, at Standford, Kentucky, he received the blessing of entire Sanctification. In the first twelve years of his ministry, following this blessed experience, there were 3,305 conversions, 1,498 accessions to the church, and 1,455 professions of entire Sanctification. Among this number were men who are now prominent ministers in Southern Methodism.

He was married to Miss Hattie Renfroe, of Georgia, May 1st, 1879. In 1907 she passed to her eternal reward. His second marriage was in 1915 to Miss Dora V. Stone, of Litchfield, Kentucky, who proved a very efficient helpmeet and a devoted companion in his declining years. This bereaved wife, three brothers, Dr. Henry P., James T., Hugh L. and one sister, Miss Annie Hopper, survive him.

Brother Hopper was a man of remarkably candid and clear intelligence. He was never hurried in his mental progress toward conclusions, but when carefully, deliberately and prayerfully reached, his conclusions were decided, dispassionate, final and there was nothing that could disturb the equipoise of his mind.

His knowledge of the rich beautiful things of Scripture was wonderful. How steeped his mind was in scriptural idioms, both in sermon and in prayer. His clear apprehension and vivid conception of Christ as Heavenly Lord was the power of his ministry, as it was of his character.

His presentation of the experience of Holiness was most fascinating. Men and women who heard him on this theme desired to go to their knees in prayer that they too might find Christ as a present and complete Savior. He urged the necessity of the Baptism of the Holy Ghost upon all believers with the sweetness of constraining love and the solemnity of Divine Authority. Filled by its bliss and inspired by its power, he was constantly telling of its charms and inviting to its pursuit. He was ever faithfully, actively and ceaselessly engaged in portraying the glories of the subject to the vision of the church, until many, ravished by its attractions, would aspire to its attainment and by faith enter into its enjoyment. He was a great preacher of all the fundamental doctrines of Methodism. Justification, regeneration, adoption and sanctification, and the beauty of it all is that his life, his every day walk and talk fitted as smoothly and perfectly into. his teaching and preaching as a rosebud into its calyx.

One of the most deeply spiritual and useful men of our conference wrote, "It is so easy to connect the sainted Rev. W. W. Hopper with holiness and heaven! What a good man, a holy man he was;"

W. W. Hopper was a man with a message, not a theorist, not simply a doctrinaire, nor a mere instructor in theological propositions. He was here for the Master, whose glory was in all the scripture and whose presence he felt in all his personal life and work. He had a message to deliver and was straitened in his spirit until it was delivered. Every fiber of his being, physical and moral, came in to contribute to the intensity and power of his utterance. While stern toward iniquity as the flintest rock, his spirit was tender as the soft and sunny meadow in summer.

The Lord's gentleness made him great. His kindness of speech about those who misunderstood him was marvelous. He seemed like Moses to possess the majesty of meekness that belongs to one who dares to talk face to face with God. So it was indeed that he became the eloquent and powerful preacher whom we knew.

As Pastor of a parish or charge he was always highly honored and beloved by those to whom he ministered; and they who are left behind testify to the affectionate reverence with which in childhood, youth, mature years and old age they met his benignant presence. The unselfishness, the generosity, the quiet unconscious power, the purity of thought and speech of W. W. Hopper attracted his people to him and won for him a warm place in their hearts.

There are some lives that are disappointing, but the impressions which I formed of W. W. Hopper at the first, continued unchanged to the end of his life. I have known him in periods of tranquility, of undisturbed progress in his work; and I have known of him in times of strenuous and vehement controversy and always he was the same.

It is good to have known him in our youth when impressions upon us were immediate and most vivid. It is good to feel the blessed influence of his holy and beautiful life upon us still.

The secret of his magnificent life was revealed in a statement to a friend who visited him in his last illness. With a glow akin to heaven upon his brow, he said, "For me to live is Christ, to die is gain." The maiden whose name is "Peace" was in the death chamber. He was in the land of Beulah, where the shining ones walk, and was looking forward from the summit of the Delectable Mountains to the land and the city which are beyond. He longed to live that he might still further serve God and his Son in the ministry of the truth, yet, he was willing and ready to depart and be with Christ, which for him was far better. A voice from heaven said, "Come, Servant of God, well done," and his soul passed into the presence of Him who gave it.

How strengthened and enriched is the cause of Christ by such a lighthalfactory which leaves behind it a radiance of purity, goodness and peace, such as few bequeath to those who survive them. So lived, so loved, so triumphed, through faith in our Lord, and in the power of the Holy Spirit, one of the noblest whose life ever touched the silver trumpet of the temple service. That life with its many achievements has passed into history, its record is closed, the book is sealed, but its glory and influence shall live on forever.

We may forget many lessons of truth learned from his lips and many inspirations to nobler work which we received from his spirit, but we shall never forget the benediction of that blessing which was ours, as we gazed for the last time into that tranquil face transfigured as by the light of heaven. Truly he had met his pilot face to face as he had crossed the bar.

H. A. WOOD.

### JAMES MONROE MASSEY

James Monroe Massey, son of Thomas and Amanda Massey, was born in Attala County, Mississippi, August 3, 1849, and was reared and received a common school education in that county.

During the year 1871, early in his twenty-first year, he was genuinely converted, and united with the Methodist Church.

He married Miss Burroughs in 1873. She preceded him to the other world some years ago, but he leaves three sons and four daughters.

Brother Massey was licensed to preach in 1876. He was ordained deacon in 1879 and ordained an elder in 1884. He joined the North Mississippi Conference in 1884 and served various charges until 1901 when he was granted a Supernumerary Relation and continued therein until 1901.

In 1901 he was transferred to the Mississippi Conference and was appointed to the Brooklyn charge, serving it one year. He was on the Satartia charge for two years, Anguilla two years, Oak ridge one year, Centreville one year and Wilkinson one year.

At the Conference of 1913, held at Natchez, he was granted a Superannuate Relation, and went to Houston, Miss., where he made his home with his daughter, Mrs. W. J. McWhorter.

Brother Massey was a man of simple tastes and habits; he believed in the old-time Gospel and preached it in its simplicity and power. His faith in his risen Lord was deep and abiding, and held firm unto the end.

He passed to his heavenly reward on January 23, 1922. Funeral services were held in the Methodist Church at Houston and the body laid to rest in the cemetery hard by the church.

### Table 1-MEMBERSHIP, BAPTISMS, CHURCH PROPERTY, AND WOMEN'S SOCIETIES

### BROOKHAVEN DISTRICT

CHARGES.	Local Preachers.	Additions on Pro- fession of Faith.	Additions by Cert. and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches in Charge.	No. of Church Buildings	Value	Indebtedness	No. of Parsonages
1 Adams 2 Barlow		18 11	117	60	369 257	15 11		5	5 4	5000 4000		1
3 Bayou Pierre	1	9	9		421	7		5	5	5000		1
4 Bogue Chitto and Norfield	5	2	9		120	2		3	3	7500		1
5 Brookhaven	$\lfloor 2 \rfloor$	54	43		900	31	10	1	1	45000		1
6 Crystal Springs	1	1	39		370			1	1		10000	1
8 Foxworth	Z	22	14 14		334 313	7 2	2	3	3 2 5			1
9 Gallman		111	14	62	541	8	2	5	5			1
10 Georgetown Circuit	11	10	1	17	241	0	-	3	3			
11 Hazlehurst	1	11	37		392	11		1	1			1
12 Magnolia		19	10	85	230	11	1	1	1	12500		1
13 McComb, Centenary		17	42		766	9		1	1			1
14 McComb, Pearl River		9	32		187	6	7	2	2			1
15 McComb, La Branch St. 16 Meadville and Bude	1	13	31		275	4	2	1	1			1 1
17 Monticello Circuit	2	10 16	28		202) 250	5	4	3	3			1
18 Osyka Circuit	1	1 10	11		253	1	1 1	3	3			1
19 Pleasant Grove	1	29	- 11	9	635	2	5	4	4			1
20 Scotland Circuit	1 1	6	4	10	523	3	İ	6	5	6000		1
21 Summit and Topisaw	2	11	9		408	6	3	3	3			2
22 Tylertown		17	13		501	5	10	2	2			1
23 Wesson and Beauregard	2	29	21	10	444	20	9	2	2	5000		1
Total	22	333	497	972	8932	176	80	67	64	289000	15000	22
Total Last Year	17	353	387	616	9768	184	67	68	66	265272	16200	21
Increase	5		110	356			13			23728	1000	1
Decrease		20.			83	8		1	2		1200	***************************************

1 Avera	2	26	81	118	1	91	31	11	1000	2501	1
2 Bonhommie	41	9		80	29		21	11.			
3 Collins	1 -01	6	17	437	13		3	31	56001		1
4 Ellisville		35	230	3681	3		4	4	7500		1
5 Eucutta 1	3 2 5	7	111	479	2	11	41	4	3000		ī
6 Hattiesburg, Main St.	5	61	177	9081		4	11	1	51000		1
7!Hattieshurg Court St		45	14	630	18	A	11	11	30000		1
7 Hattiesburg, Court St	9	8	15	573	5	A	1	1	5000		ī
9 Heidelberg Circuit	21	9	10	489	14	7	41	7	6000		1
10 Leakesville Circuit		13	14	319	30		7	AI	5200		1
AAIT 9.9		16	18	366	11	1 41	11	11		1600	1
		34	5	98	18	1 1	2	91	1600	200	1
12 Lucedale Circuit	35	14	22	408	31	2	Al	21	8500		9
13 Mt. Olive and Magee		14)	351		15	5	41	91	8000		1
14 New Augusta 1	15	11	39	311	19		41	71	50001		1
15 Oloh Circuit				200	7		8	6			1
16 Petal Circuit	12	251	6	344	6	3	0	9	4000		1
17 Prentiss	12	14	9	372	9	3	41	4	10500		1
18 Purvis	31	18	56	317	23		31	3	7500		1
19 Richton 1	159	53	27	338	121	16	3	2	5500		Ţ
20 Seminary		71	21	454			5	4!	5000		1
21 Silver Creek		26	15	479	20	91	7	7	12000		1
22 Sumrall	25	6	104	246	14	2	1	1			1
23 Taylorville and Mize	7	11	13	407	4		6	51	8000		1
24 Williamsburg	28	7	61	482	26	21	4	41	50001		1
Total 12	559	457	831	92231	420	108	90	771	206400  2	2050	23
Total Last Year		439	613	9126	363	101	881	751	184700	156	23
Increase	22	181	218	97	57	7	21	21	21700	1894	*******
Decrease 3							i				
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### BROOKHAVEN DISTRICT

Value	Indebtedness	Value of Other Church Property.	Insurance Carried.	Churches damaged or destroyed.	Parsonages damaged or destroyed.	Amount of damage.	Loss Collected.	Number of Societies	Members	General Organ.	Conference Organ.
		1000	1000		***********			2	27	2	14
1200		•••••••••••••••••	**********		••••	************	***********		16	3	1(
2006		********************************	2000		***************************************			2	28	1	1
7500	2000		29000	1				1	87	8	39
4000	15		33000					1	20	1	15
		500	8400		***********			1	3	2	38
1 FOO!		100	1000					1	11). 22	1	16
		2000	2000					1	18	11	3
3500			3500					ī	50	6	25 27
			10000					1	37	3	2'
	0044	***************************************	10000					2	95	5	75
3500 2500	2344	•••••	2500 4300					1	$\frac{30}{22}$	3	10
07001			3000					2	25	2	26
1800			2000					1	15	1	18
1000			5000			*************		1	4	3	10
1650 1800	55	***************************************	**********					A	39	11	
4500		2000	250					2	38	1	1
2800			250 19500		***************************************			1	45	2	20
1500			2000				<b> </b>	1 1	32	1'	17
55250	4414	5600	137450			***************************************		29	664	47	382
52350  2900!	2250	1110	104800 32650					26	767	48	43'
2900	2104	4490	32000					3 .	103	1	55

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3000		550	2700 . 5000 .			***************************************	1	46 26	2	12 20
1000  6000  3000		400 500	19400  11500				1  3  2	89 89	10 2	12 27 18
3500  1500		500	5500	1			2  2	50  30  5	3	18 13 3
2000	***************************************		7000			***************	1	27	1	10
10001		600	4600'. 4500 .			***************************************	2  	34	3  1  1	14 4 6
20001 30001		500  50	1000  2000				1   2	12  37	2	20
45001		1050 500	5000'. <b>25</b> 00'.	1	500	***************************************	3	60	2  3  2	16 12 10
800		F0	20001. 163001. 3001.	1			1	20	1	18
750  600										18
40550 46050	1050	4700  3210  490	903001 646001 257001	1	500 5051		29  26	518 571	401	280 379
5500	450	1	201001.		4551			53	81	99

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Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Cert. and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches in Charge.	No. of Church Buildings	Value	Indebtedness	Number Parsonages
1	27 68	13	13	356	19	3	3 3 3	3 3	22000		1 1
.   	13	38		273 524	3	4	4	2	40000	34000	1
	5 25	26 23 12	19	233	4	3	3 6	3 6	8000		1
1	35 23	11 5	2 8	240 348		1	5	1 5	1500	1000	1 1 1
112	108	213	81	1774	64	31	1	1	55000	10000	1 1
1	5 55	5 18	14 10	66 221	6	1 6	3 2	3	5000' 1400	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	1
1	54	33 33	95	484	10 35	25	3	3	19000	4900	1
1	20 17	3 10	10 22	460 170	3 15	3	3 4	3 4	3500 4500		1
	15	3	14	558	14	3	4	4	4000		1 1 1
26	827	784	495	192	458	96	76	75	4300	52885	21
24	551 276	645	544	10065 1437	289 169		77	76	370000 41300	17729 5156	21
		AN I				20		11.			
1	17  33	7 13	10	382 633	5 33	3   6	6	5	80001		1 2
	10	3	8	590	7	14		6	10000].		1 1 1
	3	23	24	502 130	6	11	4	4	8800 1300		1
1	66	139	85	1125	35	15	1	1	110000	9468	1 1 1
1 4	22 <sup>1</sup>	46 23	14	460 331	8  9	6	2	2	12500		1 1. 1
	15	21	20 14	578	5	10	6	4	90001.		1 1
	6	11  24	82	244 261	10	2	2	2	5500].		1
11	26	34	14	305	16	1	2	21	6500 .		1 1 1
	6 2	3 12	14	417 215	3	21	1	41	3500 _		1
18	562	578 402	508 425	9556 9740			861 851	771 801	284700	47198	23 22
1	193		83 .	184	155	3		3			1
					161		41	21	75001		1
	17  21	27	76  1	472  253	11	31	6  5	61 51	6100  4900		1
	61	41	61	176	61	2	41	31	25001		1
2	381	7	421 118	4441 729	26	5 10	81	61	90001	300	1
	41	56	571	710	251	91	11	11	350001	1600	1 1 1
1	131 5	14	211 121	237	61	2	3	3	2000l 4700l	500	1 1
11	201	201	361	646  455	14  3 .	35	6  21	21	15000	4000	1
1	7  35	15	19	3441 5491	341	1	11	1	5500l 4500l		1
	21  16	61	16	465  571	101	10 <sup>1</sup>	61	61	6700		1 1
1	251 1.91			4401 6221	15  10	41 111	51	51	80001		1 1
91 71	4091 6821	3331	5251	93351	2561	1191	911	811 841	192650 175000	105611 4521	20 21
21	173	133	1901	91	74	2	21				
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Value	Indebtedness	Value of Other Church Property	Insurance Carried.	Churches damaged or destroyed.	Parsonages damaged or destroyed.	Amount of damage.	Loss Collected.	Number of Societies	Members	General Organ	
2800 1500	400	200	1000 18000 9000 3000				0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1 2 5	18 42 94	2 5 1	
3000  2500		100	6000					1) 2 1	92  12  33  9	2 2 1	
2000 800		50	3000 2500 43500			000000000000000000000000000000000000000		1 2 1 1	18 48 15 207	3 1 1	
100001		450	68000 2500 1800					3 1 1	150 14 30	10	
2000			2500 12900				0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	2 2	36	1 2	
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7500  64900  65300	400  730	1150  750						39 39 39	116 35 1111 1004	9 1 44 57	_
400	330	400	61950				= = = ********************************		107	13	
2000	670							3	35	2	
3500! 1500'			2500 2000	1				1 1	13 9 60	2	
2000	450  2667	***************************************	1550 2000 53000					2 1 2 2	19 15 165 51	1 2 20 2	
1750 2000'			7000 4500 3600	***************************************				1 1 1	76 14 22	3 2 2	
1800 1600 4000	953		7750					1	17 24 28	1	
2500  1000			4000 1000 1500					1 1	115	1	
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			6000 .					2	34	1 1	
1200	350		7000					2	45	2 2 1	
2000 2000		200	1500 . 2500 .					2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	144 10 25	1 1	
3000  2500  2000		10000	3200 2500					1 1 1 1 1 1	71 25 30 45	10 1 1 1	
4000								2	78	1 2 2	
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2000  1000		2000	1500 3000					3  1  1	72 10 30	1 1	
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SEASHORE DISTRICT

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CHARGES.	Local Preachers.	ons on I	Additions by Cert. and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches in Charge.	No. of Church Buildings	Value	Indebtedness	No. of Parsonag
1 Americus 2 Bay St. Louis 3 Biloxi 4 Brooklyn and Bond 5 Carriere 6 Coalville 7 Columbia 8 Escatawpa 9 Gulfport 10 Long Beach 11 Logtown 12 Lumberton 13 Mentorum 14 Moss Point 15 Ocean Springs 16 Pascagoula 17 Pass Christian 18 Picayune 19 Poplarville 20 Saucier 21 Van Cleave 22 Wesley Memorial and Back Bay	2   2   1   3   3     3     1   1   2   1   1   2   1   1   2   1   1	30 1 45 20 777 111 166 188 88 24 137 638 166	21 27 29 18 4 17 28 8 6 54 14 12 13 61 32 14 26 32 14 10	19  15  38  64  13  23  20  7  11  4  26  12  14  12  5	759 101 620 295 240 564 677 450 948 111 167 305 389 219 230 255	3 5 1 14 3 5 18	38 11 18 15 68 68 14 25 15 55 87 65 20 22	7 11 6 5 6 1 4 11 3 1 4 1 3 1	7 1 1 6 6 6 1 4 1 3 1 4 1 3 1 1 5 4 2 2	35000 10000 7000 3500 40000 2500 75000 6000 4000 22000 4000 25000 9500 9500 4000	7618	1 1 1
23 Wiggins 24 Columbia Mission  Total	  19   17   2	467 614	530 879	322 919	217 70 8089 7954 135	143 245	289 281 8	66	1	2000 250500 249600 900		2:
I Anguilla 2   Centerville 3   Fayette 4   Gloster and Liberty 5   Harriston 6   Hermanville 7   Leuise and Holly Bluff 8   Mayersville 9   Natchez 10   Nebo 11   Oak Ridge 12   Port Gibson 13   Rocky Springs 14   Rolling Fork 15   Rosetta Mission 16   Roxie 17   Silver City 18   Utica 19   Vicksburg, Crawford St. 20   Vicksburg, Gibson Memorial 21   Washington 22   Woodville    Total Total Last Year Increase Decrease		13	7 168 6 15 100 15 15 100 174 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15 15	18  12  8  21  45  45  25  45  11  5  21  35  33  27  27  396  396  396	TRICT 319 368 210 547 239 329 81 668 457 212 250 241 295 182 245 738 497 9328 6615 6477 138	13    6    30    30    11    4    1    8    1    22    24    18    18    23    23    23    1    222    174    48	3 1 3 12 6 3 1 89 95	1 4 2 6 5 5 2 5 1 2 2 3 2 6 4 7 5 6 4 7 5	5 1 4 1 3 5 1 1 1 2 2 2 60 67	9000 5500 80500 35000 50000 1900 6500 20000 4000 1600 3000 10000 80000 10000 80000 297050	750  2836	22318
1 Brookhaven	22 12 26 17 9	333   550   827   369   409   467	497   457   784   578   333   530	495   508   525   322	8932 9223 11502 9556 9335 8089	458	108 96 106 119	90 76 86 91 66	77 81 63	206400 411300 297600	52885 26468 10661 7656	2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2: 2:
Total Last Year	114 107 7	3417 3562	3663 3528 135	3942   7756  	63252 62474 778	1931  2096	887 890	540	497	1944500 1704672	115470 96179 19291	154 14

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Value	Indebtedness	Value of Other Church Property	Insurance Carried,	Churches damaged or destroyed.	Parsonages damaged or destroyed.	Amount of damage.	Loss Collected.	Number of Societies	Members	General Organ.	Conference Organ.
1500	35	125 2400	15500 3000				******************	3 1 2	84 37 17	1 1 4 1	3
1000		1500	27000			•••••••	***************************************	1	52	1 3 2	1 20
1500 6000	800							1 1	82 18	2	2
2500			3500 5000					1	30 32	3	1
2500 1500 3000		10000	17200 2500 2200		000000000000000000000000000000000000000			1	23 20	7 5 2	
20001		1250	4000 5000			***************************************		1	33 25	1 2 2	1 2
1500		10000	2000					1 2	25 24 31	4 1 1	1
	- 835	,						21	549	44	43
58600 4550	3185	13215 12060	121100			***********		20	525 24	38	28
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2500			3700					1	20	1	
3000  2000		400  500  500	16000 1500					1 1 1 1	13 40 20 13	1 2 4	1
3000[ 2435]	365	200	3750 3950					1	24	2	1
800		100			1			11	7		
	***************************************	100 60000	3900					1	63	1	1
1000			8500					1 1	18 29	3 5	3
1000 2000 800			3500 3500	**************************************				1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	18 29 10	1	1 3 2
1000 2000 800 2000 3500 10000 4500	7500		3500  500  2425  3500  37500  4500					1 1 1 3 1 1 1 1 1	18 29 10 26 41 78 57	1   3   5   1   1   2   2   2   4	22 22 22
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### Table 2—EPWORTH LEAGUES AND SUNDAY SCHOOLS

### BROOKHAVEN DISTRICT

CHARGES.	Number of Leagues	Members	For Missions	Anniversary Day.	Other Objects	No. of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers
1 Adams 2 Barlow 3 Bayou Pierre	. 1	23			8	4 4 5	22 24 25
4 Bogue Chitto and Norfield	2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2	82 35 37 22 40 20 32 35 73 30 68 40	59 69 50 22 27 50	5	46 20 15 7 12 5 15 158 10 64 50	2 2 2 1 1 2 2 3 3 4 3 3 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	10 53 22 25 22 19 15 20 15 32 14 11 25 17
18 Osyka 19 Pleasant Grove 20 Scotland	1 1	20 20			12 5	3	19 25 35
21 Summit and Topisaw 22 Tylertown 23 Wesson and Beauregard	2 1	45 30 75	90		17 15 50	2 1 2	19 25 25
Total	27 25	727 711 16	383 601 218	5	514  453  61	57  52  5	519 479 40

1 Avera						1	8
2Bonhommie			***************************************			2	14
3 Collins	. 1	36	5		5	2	20
4 Ellisville	. 2	70 -		4		3	25
5 Eucutta				a a a area as a constitue and		4]	17
6 Hattiesburg Main Street	. 2	93	26		35	11	30
7 Hattiesburg, Court Street	2			12	40	1]	36
8 Hattiesburg, Broad Street	. 3	121	25		97	1	43
9 Heidelberg						4	27
10 Leakesville		25			201	3	17
11'Lucedale	.] 1]	40	10	2	30]	1)	25
12 Lucedale Circuit						3	18
13 Mt. Olive and Magee		41	5			3	30
14 New Augusta						4	40
15 Oloh Circuit	1		25		20	1	10
16 Petal						3	14
17 Prentiss	. 3	621.			21	4	30
18 Purvis		58	15		601	3	30
19 Richton		60].			160	4	37
20 Seminary						4	18
21 Silver Creek						6	34
22 Sumrall	. 2	50	3		7]	1	14
23 Taylorsville and Mize						3	18
24 Williamsburg						4	26
Total	25	556	114	18	495	66	583
Total Last Year	20	612	248	14'	647	62	527
Increase	1 51			41.		41	56
Decrease		56	134		1521		

### Table 2—EPWORTH LEAGUES AND SUNDAY SCHOOLS

### BROOKHAVEN DISTRICT

Number on Cradle Roll,	No. in Home Dept.	No. in All other Depts.	Total Enrollm't in All Depts.	No. of Train- ing Classes	No. of Wesley Bible Classes.	No, Pupils Join- ing Church	Amount Raised for Missions	Amount Raised on S. S. Day	Amount Raised for S. S. Supplies	Amount Raised for Other Objects
12 12		165 160	199 196		1	16 11	14	. 21	51 . 62	7
		150	175	***************************************		6		10	45	
48	48	81 602	91 751	1	2	36	30 141	6 24	288	25
26		211	237		2		75	11	139	21
19	22	176	240		2	5	224	52	225	63
	10	185	217 154	1		18	3 20	12 12	61	12
5		135 174	194	*****	1	10	30	14	150	59
12	15	150	182	***************************************	21.		75	***************************************	288	
8	40	137	200		6	17	48	25 23	194	14
81	45	520	678				243	23	617	113
20	20	106 152	160 163		2	5	25 45	20	133 220	18
9	6	170	210		2	6	205	20	160	5
		110	127			14	32 25	3	87	4
********		140	160			1	25	4	69	8:
•••••		155 227	180 262			20 5 5		31	85 - 83	60
		156	175		2	5	44	14	277	8
23	48	170	266			13	75	14	190	6
13	57	235	330		7	13 15	100	16	178	69 82 63 258
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20		370	406		1	25	85	12	417	80
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26	12	290	361	***********	5	16	56	5	244	315
12		208	250			10 <sup>f</sup>	33	8	80]	100
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		116	130		**********	7!	10	5	75	
12	17	166	225		3	12'		18	104	140
18		317	365		4	27	51	20	115	282
29	12	381	418		6	70'	32	15	519	648
		128	190			4		-51	52	
		150	184			2'	165	9	48	30
25		125	164		2	17	63	7	110	30
		260	278				18	13	76	37
	i	150	176			21		12	43	55
258	2411	4727	5805	1	401	327	710	229	3804	2076
2531	225	3457	5479	5	321	3571	836	203	3509	1382
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# Table 2—EPWORTH LEAGUES AND SUNDAY SCHOOLS JACKSON DISTRICT

Number	CHARGES.	No. Leagues	Members	For Missions	Anniversary Day.	Other Objects	No. of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers
2 3 4	Benton Bentonia Bolton and Raymond Brandon and Pelahatchie Camden Canton Eden Edwards	1 2 1 3	40 56 140	150		757	3 4 3 3 3 1 3 2 3	17 23 21 38 20 21 20
14	Fannin Flora Florence Harrisville Jackson, Capitol Street Jackson, Galloway Memorial Jackson, Millsaps Memorial Jackson Rapkin Street	1 2 1 1 3	30  50  20  138 185	20 10 121 30		25 150 168	3 5 4 1 2 3 2	23 20 24 20 68 78 15
20 21 22	Jackson, Rankin Street Madison Mendenhall and D'Lo Monterey Satartia Sharon Terry	1 2 2	15 30 40			50	3 4 3 4 4	17 39 16 15 20 20
	Vaughn Yazoo City  Total Total Last Year Increase Decrease	25 13 12	957 588 369	50  466  352  114	12	26 1486 365 1121	73 73	30 20 612 580 32
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23 44 55 66 77 88 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21	Bucatunna Cleveland Daleville DeKalb DeSoto Enterprise Lauderdale Matherville Meridian, Central Meridian, East End Meridian, Fifth Street 'Meridian, Hawkins Memorial Meridian, Poplar Springs Meridian, Seventh Avenue Pachuta Porterville Quitman Scooba Shubuta 'Vimville Waynesboro Waynesboro Circuit	3 1 1 1 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 1		5 3 50 75 50 25 60 84	5	101 100 20 70 204 58 40 33 76 500	3 6 5 4 4 1 7 1 1 1 1 2 1 6 6 4 2 4 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1	10 30 28 32 26 6 42 49 47 38 49 12 38 53 20 21 20 20 13
	Total Total Last Year Increase	34 24 10	1009 804 305	497 683	10 9 1	1374 635 739	69 73	618 566
-	DecreaseN		DISTRI			*************************	41.	
1	Bay Springs	1		25		324	2	16 18
345678	Chunky Decatur and Hickory Deemer Forest and Morton Harperville and Lena Homewood	2 	80 	21			2 2 7 5	22 31 30 41
10 11 12 13 14	Lake Laurel, First Church Laurel, Kingston Laurel, West End Montrose Neshoba	$egin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	183   40   30   33	165			4 1 1 1 3 4	26 36 11 9 25
16 17 18 19 20	Newton 'North Neshoba  Philadelphia  Raleigh   Rose Hill 'Shiloh   Trenton	2 1	67 35	30		90 10 30	2  1  1  5  4	24 6 44 22 23 32 32
22	Trenton   Union   Walnut Grove   Total   Total Last Year   Increase   Increase   Union   Total   Union   Uni	1 1 22 25	30	247			6   2   4   64   70	32 15 25 408 514
	Decrease	3	66	21			6	46

# Table 2—EPWORTH LEAGUES AND SUNDAY SCHOOLS JACKSON DISTRICT

			02.	CILDOIT	DIDITE					
Number on Cradle Roll.	No. in Home Department.	No. in All Other Departments	Total Enrollm't in All Depts.	No. of Train- ing Classes	No. of Wesley Bible Classes.	No, Pupils Join- ing Church	Amount Raised for Missions	Amount Raised on S. S. Day	Amount Raised for S. S. Supplies	Amount Raised for Other Objects
18 19 16	16 12 16	163 133 206 303 149	180 156 245 366 197		3	25 6 12 49 8	24 44 127 23 76	12 5 27	57 24 190 359 74	70 50 60 122 97 290 74 114 20
34 6 ] 6 9 9 8	20 29	244 229 102 182 195 168	315 255 114 231 253	1	3  3 5	25 4 16 24	10 22 10 88	25 6 8 9 7	385 90 100 110 155	
8 15 53 62	5 52 60	168 195 999 1266	200 235 1172 1464	1 3 4	2 16 8	5 20 87 71	1000	7 104 71	200 125 1117 1061	400 861 1262
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18 320 287 33	305 198 207	340 6370 3670 2700	7607 6224 1383	11 8 3	53 44 9	505 452 53		351 388	376 5246 4259 987	4500 4403 97
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		222 325 208	250 . 357 .		***********	23 10 6	8	15 5 18	100 . 65 51	48 41
39	18	269 46 250	357 52	***************************************	****************	4 2	46	81 401	135	48 41 129 57
18  84  132	50	1116			18	20  56 31	400	37 20 15	78 1009 590	2318 247
43 60 26	130 25 16	440 325 150 400	613   . 410   . 192		3 2 2 10	14 5 3	71 163	9	215 414 172	259 237 56 80 336
	50	275	334		2	11	75 29	14	120   178	80 336
18		140 234 195	273 .		3	10  4 6	25 26	14	235 140	135 25
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	24	265 190	348 . 200 .		1	2  15'	25	7	175 421	30
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	61.				16	151	7	132	821	3041

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# Table 2—EPWORTH LEAGUES AND SUNDAY SCHOOLS. SEASHORE DISTRICT

CHARGES.	No. Leagues	Members	For Missions	Anniversary Day.	Other Objects	No. of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers
Americus Bay St. Louis	1	20].			***************************************	7	3
Biloxi	21	90	52		44	1	4
Brooklyn and Bond	2					6	3
Coalville	11	17	3			4	2
Columbia  Escatawpa	3	130  90 -	100 .		160	1	3 2
Gulfport	1	80	50i		25	1	6
Long Beach	1	18	10			1	$\frac{1}{2}$
Lumberton	1	53				1	1
Mentorum						2	1
Moss Point	1					4	1 2
Ocean Springs Pascagoula Pass Christian	2	47	12		23	î	1
Pass Christian Picayune		30			15		1
Poplarville					20	1	i
Saucier	2 3					5	2
Van Cleave Wesley Memorial and Back Bay					3	2	3
Wiggins	1	44 .			12	2	2
Columbia Mission					250		40
Total Last Year		721 782	390	6	352 789	56 60	49 49
Increase	8 -						
Decrease		61	108	6	437	4	
VIC	CKSBURG	DISTE	RICT				
Anguilla						3	2
Centerville						4	3 1
Gloster and Liberty	$\begin{vmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{vmatrix}$	40		***************************************	60 32	1	$\frac{1}{2}$
Harriston	1	43	7		48	4	2
HermanvilleLouise and Holly Bluff						5	1
Mayersville						1	
NatchezNebo	1	33		***************************************	118	1	$\frac{2}{1}$
Oak Ridge						1	
Port Gibson	1	39			8	1	2
Rocky Springs Rolling Fork	1	53			6	3 2	1
Rosetta Mission						3	1
Roxie					1 TH DEEP *** 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4	2	1
Silver CityUtica						4	2
Vicksburg, Crawford Street	2 2	140	45		75	1	5
Vicksburg, Gibson Memorial Washington		80 30			10' 13	1	2
Woodville	1	36 .				1	1
Total	17.	606	217].		350	50	41
Total Last YearIncrease	91	387 219	305	60	409	49	38 2
Decrease			88	60	591		
•	TO A DIM	TTT APPLO	NT				
	RECAPIT 27	727	383	51	514	57	51
			114	18	495	66	58
Brookhaven	25	556		14	1486	73	61
BrookhavenHattiesburg	25 25	957	466			00	
Brookhaven Hattiesburg Jackson Veridian	25 25 34	957 1009	497	10	1374	69 64	
Brookhaven Hattiesburg Jackson Weridian Newton	25 25 34 22 31	957 1009 721 721	497 247 282		1374 652 352	69 64 56	46 49
Brookhaven Hattiesburg Jackson Meridian Newton Seashore Vicksburg	25 25 34 22 31 17	957 1009 721 721 606	497  247  282  217	10	1374 652 352 350	64 56 50	46 49 41
Brookhaven Hattiesburg Jackson Meridian Newton Seashore Vicksburg	25 25 34 22 31 17	957 1009 721 721 606 5297	497  247  282  217 .	10 18	1374 652 352 350 4623	64 56 50 455	61 46 49 41 370
Brookhaven Hattiesburg Jackson Meridian Newton Seashore Vicksburg	25 25 34 22 31 17	957 1009 721 721 606	497  247  282  217	10	1374 652 352 350	64 56 50	46 49 41

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			SE.	ASHORE	DISTR	ICT				
Number on Cradle Roll.	No. in Home Department.	No. in All Other Departments	Total Enrollm't in All Depts.	No. of Train- ing Classes	No. of Wesley Bible Classes.	No. Pupils Joining Church	Amount Raised for Missions	Amount Raised on S. S. Day	Amount Raised for S. S. Supplies	Amount Raised for Other Objects
29 66 12 24	50 50	201 88 400 205 115 211 315 116	267 97 553 235 130 249 370 180	1	3	19 16 18 15 44	194 50 100 25	3 17 19 10 8 25	74  321  483 - 230  50  76 - 505  73	18 24 105 17 100 22
127 38 28 29 10 24	7 5 15 5 5 22 1	700 90 127 231 126 141 175 94	1049 107 148 299 201 205 132		3	6 2 6 6 5	100 40 6 48 120 12 30	15 9 24 15 13 6 7	756 82 160 222 26 144 140 155	103 115 103 342 63 138 69
11 8 14 4 12	3 15 3 24 2 4	139 92 220 260 192 125	166 130 258 304 259 161		3 5 3	13 . 6 . 34 . 19 7 7	55 16	7 8 10 40 2 5	122 100 256 .160 .85 240	160 100 65 54 45 123
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			VIC	KSBURG	G DISTR	ICT				
12 14 12 20 20	6 5	166 262 85 201 105 139 95 21 215 102	190  304  107  225  152  170  110  25  299  102	1 1 1 .	2 5 1 2 3	45 16 14 4 4 6 16	18 31 30 16 23 26 75 6	17  7  19  6  9  7  24  6  19  13	173 220 98 95. 99 115 96 36 391.	73 73 73 119 6
16	20	169	61 226			3	88	12	10 190 60	8 14
43  20  59 47 8	62	264 78 80 75 146 422 246 49 100	325  90  80  83  171  593  316  57  117	1	1 3 1 1 1	14 8   10   5   43   37   2	48 18 200 60	14 7 20 15 5 5	163  20 . 35  30  99  421  343  48  49	396 80 31 281 355 26 56
265 270	177	2966 1878	3703 3703	3	19  24	239 190 49	726  842	205 205	2840 2615 225	1839 2145
		1088 .			5 .	45	116			306
			R	ECAPIT	ULATIO	N				
288 258 320 473 352 517 265	305 305 336 336 171 290 339	4467  4727  6370  5779  4672  4363  2966	5547  5805  7607  6727  5678  5500  3703	2  1  11  1  6  1' 3	31  40  53  45  25  28  19	207  327  505  266  208  276  239	1454 710 2342 1111 748 697 726	367  229  351  267  320  251  205	3668 3804 5246 3710 2693 4460 2840	3557 2076 4500 4179 5077 2696 1839
2473 2232 241	1521	33344  21564  11780	40567  37778  2789 .	25  25	241  226  . 15 .	1028 2239 1211	7788  7976  188	1790  1784  6	26421 23329 3092	23924 22642 1282

### BROOKHAVEN DISTRICT

NAME OF CHARGE	Presiding Elder Assessed.	Presiding Elder Paid.	Preacher in Charge Assessed.	Preacher in Charge Paid.	District Work Assessed.	District Work Paid.	Ann'l Conf. Wk. Assessed.	Ann'l Conf. Wk. Paid.	General Work Assessed.	General Work Paid.	Foreign Missns Special
1 Adams		95	1235	1235	13	13	211	211	172	172	
2 Barlow 3 Bayou Pierre 4 Bogue Chitto and Norfield 5 Brookhaven 6 Crystal Springs 7 Fernwood 8 Foxworth 9 Gallman 10 Hazlehurst 11 Magnolia 12 Osyka 13 McComb, Centenary 14 Georgetown 15 La Branch 16 Meadville and Bude 17 Monticello 18 Pleasant Grove 19 Scotland 20 Summit and Topisaw 21 Pearl River Avenue	132 335 270 225 115 170 270 270 270 125 115 1390 115 145 100 145 100 135 170 170	80 107 132 335 270 225 106 153 270 225 104 390 64 170 136 136 160 170	800 1015 1300 3000 2500 1026 1500 2400 2400 1110 3600 785 1800 1380 975 900 1115 1800	560 943 1300 3000 2500 944 1355 2400 1012 3600 650 1800 1222 975 636 1156 1770 1500	10 14 18 45 130 14 23 34 51 14 23 20 21 10 17 23 23 23	14 9 45 13 30 8 10 30 14 51 14 23 21 17 18 18 23	165 235 300 705 590 470 235 565 470 235 355 315 285 355 355 355	75 92 200 705 276 470 118 143 565 470 115 815 75 355 163 106 611 288 284 355	135 195 240 570 480 385 195 460 379 195 685 195 290 172 135 230 290	120 460 379 85 685 54 290 162 86 49 230 232	225
22 Tyertown	200	200	1800	18001	26	26	422	422	344	344	
23 Wesson		161	14001	1330	23	141	355		290		******
Total		3820		36018			8395	6591	6867	53691	
Total Last Year Increase	3999	3672' 148	356351 17051	33377 2641	536	405	8390  5	5019 1572	6862  5	4177 1192	631
Decrease					27	81.					334
	HA	TTIES		DIST	'RIC'	Г					
1 Avera		100  100	1082	1082 1875	10	101	501 501	50  50	50  50	501	***********
3 Collins		150	1300		15	15	223	223		901	
4 Fllisville	175	1751		1300	Tol	TOI	44.)	4401	162	162	
5 Eucutta		175	1305	1305	17	17	2891	289	233	162 233	
6 Hattieshurg Main Street		711	625	1305  500	17	171	2891 135	2891 521	233 110	1621 2331 411	
6!Hattiesburg. Main Street 7!Hattiesburg, Court Street	100    495'   275			1305  500  4200  2200	17	17	2891	289	233 110 1021 435	1621 2331 411 10211 435	
7 Hattiesburg, Court Street 8 Hattiesburg, Broad Street	495 275 225	71  495  275  225	625  4200  2200  1800	1305  500  4200  2200  1800	17 10 10 10 15	17  4  100  15	2891 1351 12601 5421 3081	2891 521 1260 5421 3081	233  110  1021  435  246	162  233  41  1021  435  246	
7 Hattiesburg, Court Street 8 Hattiesburg, Broad Street 9 Heidelberg	495 275 225 150	71! 495! 275! 225! 150!	625  4200  2200  1800  1153	1305  500  4200  2200  1800  1215	17  10  100  15	17  4  100  15  15	2891 1351 12601 5421 3081 3071	289 521 1260 542	233  110  1021  435  246  248	1621 2331 411 10211 4351 2461 2481	
7 Hattiesburg, Court Street 8 Hattiesburg, Broad Street 9 Heidelberg	495 275 225 150 100 150	71  495  275  225  150  55  111	625  4200  2200  1800  1153  1150  1300	1305  500  4200  2200  1800  1215  500  1165	17 10 10 10 15	17  4  100  15	2891 1351 12601 5421 3081	2891 521 12601 5421 3081 3071	233  110  1021  435  246	1621 2331 411 10211 4351 2461 2481	
7 Hattiesburg, Court Street 8 Hattiesburg, Broad Street 9 Heidelberg 10 Leakesville 11 Lucedale 12 Lucedale Circuit	495 275 225 150 100 150 26	71  495  275  225  150  55  111  26	625  4200  2200  1800  1153  1150  1300  125	1305  500  4200  2200  1800  1215  500  1165  135	17  10  100  15  15  10  15	17  4  100  15  15  10	2891 1351 12601 5421 3081 3071 2701 2721	289i 52i 1260i 542i 308i 307i 24i	233 110 1021 435 246 248 170 221	1621 233  41  1021  435  246  248	
7 Hattiesburg, Court Street 8 Hattiesburg, Broad Street 9 Heidelberg	495 275 225 150 100 150 26 225	71  495  275  225  150  55  111	625  4200  2200  1800  1153  1150  1300	1305  500  4200  2200  1800  1215  500  1165	17 10 10 15 15 15 10	17  4  100  15  15	2891 1351 12601 5421 3081 3071 2701	2891 521 12601 5421 3081 3071	233  110  1021  435  246  248  170	1621 233  41  1021  435  246  248	
7 Hattiesburg, Court Street 8 Hattiesburg, Broad Street	495' 275  225  150  100' 150  26  225  115  100	71  495  275  225  150  55  111  26  225  115  80	625  4200  2200  1800  1153  1150  1300  125  1800  910  935	1305  500  4200  2200  1800  1215  500  1165  185  1800  910  727	171 100 1001 151 151 101 151 251 101	17  4  100  15  15  10  25  10  10	2891 1351 12601 5421 3081 3071 2701 2721 3871 2101 1431	289i 52i 1260i 542i 308i 307i 24i 387i 210i 71i	233 110 1021 435 246 248 170 221 321 187 117	1621 2331 411 10211 4351 246 2481 3211 1871 611	
7 Hattiesburg, Court Street 8 Hattiesburg, Broad Street 9 Heidelberg	495' 275  225  150  100' 150  26  225  115  100	71  495  275  225  150  55  111  226  225  115  80	625  4200  2200  1800  1153  1150  125  1800  910  935  845	1305  500  4200  2200  1800  1215  500  1165  135  1800  727  800	17 10 10 10 15 15 10 15 25 10 10 10	17  4  100  15  15  10  25  10  10	2891 1351 12601 5421 3081 3071 2701 2721 3871 2101 1431 1801	289 521 1260 5421 3081 3071 241 3871 2101 711	233 110 1021 435 246 248 170 221 321 187 117 157	162  233  41  1021  435  246  248  321  187  61  60	
7 Hattiesburg, Court Street 8 Hattiesburg, Broad Street 9 Heidelberg	495' 275  225  150  100' 150  26  225  115  100	71  495  275  225  150  55  111  26  225  115  80	625  4200  2200  1800  1153  1150  1300  125  1800  910  935	1305  500  4200  2200  1800  1215  500  1165  185  1800  910  727	171 100 1001 151 151 101 151 251 101	17  4  100  15  15  10  25  10  10	2891 1351 12601 5421 3081 3071 2701 2721 3871 2101 1431	289i 52i 1260i 542i 308i 307i 24i 387i 210i 71i	233 110 1021 435 246 248 170 221 321 187 117	162  233  41  1021  435  246  248  321  187  61  60  150	
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7 Hattiesburg, Court Street 8 Hattiesburg, Broad Street 9 Heidelberg	495' 275  225  150  100' 150  26  225  115  100  162  225  100	71! 495! 275! 225! 150! 55! 111! 26! 225! 80! 100! 162! 162! 225!	625  4200  2200  1800  1153  1150  125  1800  910  935  845  1165  1320  2100  825	1305  500  4200  12200  1800  1215  500  1165  1375  1800  910  1375  1320  2100  600	17  10  10  15  10  15  25  10  10  15  25  25  20  10	17  4  100  15  10  25  10  10  10  10  25  15  10	289 135 1260 542 308 307 270 272 387 210 143 180 376 411 330 183	289  52  1260  542  308  307  24  387  210  71  77  170  411  160  52	283 110 1021 435 246 248 170 221 321 187 117 157 259 332 330 140	162 233 411 1021 435 246 248 321 150 321 150 332 150 48	
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1	Americus	110										
3	Bay St. Louis  Biloxi	115	115		1100	j		190			165	
4	Brooklyn and Bond	280 105				50				1		
b	Carriere	65		610			9					
6	Coalville	1 85	68	830	704			210	72	150	46	
8	Columbia  Escatawpa	325   65		3000								
9	Gulfport, First Church	315		700 3000		1						
10	Columbia Mission	30	30	225	225	į	į	25	25	25	25	
12	Long Beach Logtown	100 175		850								
13	Lumberton	260		$1600 \\ 2500$			85		390 610	310 475		
14	Mentorum	75	58	610	477	]		140	35	105	35	
15	Moss Point	235		1800	1800	8	8	600	600	499		
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	PoplarvilleSaucier and Howison		170 100	2400 1510	1300	17	17		430 90			
22	Van Cleave	100	100	1000	1000	25	25	250	188			
23	Wesley Memorial	40	40	350	350			90	90	65		
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